

WATCHING WOULD
PREVENT ACCIDENTSSTOP! LOOK! AND LISTEN! AT
DANGEROUS CROSSINGS.

CLOSE PLACES IN ROADS

Signs say "Blow Your Horn" and to
Obey This Instruction Might
Save Lives.

There are several dangerous railroad crossings in Nodaway County. Also too many automobile drivers are too careless. Although train wrecks and accidents make good newspaper stories but it would be much better if drivers would pay more attention to the "Stop, Look and Listen" signs which are posted near all crossings.

The more dangerous crossings should be watched closely. Near Rosendale there is a bad crossing where the Rev. W. A. Chapman was killed Monday. Another exceedingly dangerous place is down at Bridge-water. Here it is probable that an automobile driver would not see a train until it is only twenty or thirty yards away.

Two miles west of Conception Junction near the Ed Allen farm there is a crossing that is also dangerous. Another place is the Wabash crossing west of town near the Murray nursery. Still another is on the farm of Mrs. C. H. Coe a mile north of the Burlington station. The Burlington crossings as you go to Lee Hill and to Gray's farm are also dangerous. On the way to the Myrtle Tree school house there is another dangerous Burlington crossing.

All of these places are perilous but all accidents could be easily averted if the driver of a motor car would stop and look and listen. There are too many drivers who have the kind of make-up that causes them to want to beat a train to the crossings and it is a driver of this type that keeps the undertakers in the business.

There are some corners and curves on roads near Maryville where cars go around so fast that if another car was coming and both were in the center of the road an accident could scarcely be avoided. On most of these corners there are signs which read, "Danger Sound Horn." Last Sunday a car was coming around the corner a few miles north of Maryville on the road to Hopkins and the driver did not sound his horn. A buggy was coming around from the side and the driver of the car was forced to run his machine into the ditch to keep out of a smash-up.

Many of the streets of Maryville have places in them that cause a car to swerve almost to the curb and if the driver does not run his car close to the side of the street he will receive a bad bump. On West Fourth street there is a bad place that could be remedied easily. Every car that comes down the street is forced to bump over this place and no matter how slow the car is moving the springs receive a bad jolt, as do the occupants of the car. The same condition is true on First and Second streets.

Possibly the worst place in town for cars is the turn on North Dunn street as cars go out to the State Teachers College. Almost every day there are numbers of "almost accidents." Cars going to the College meet those coming to town and there is the narrowest of places to pass. This situation is augmented by the fact that the crossing of the Wabash railroad at Fourth and Dunn streets is bad and cars are forced to turn an almost square corner. However, this situation will be remedied soon, according to Mayor F. P. Robinson, who says that the corner will be cut away some time this summer. When this is done instead of there being two square corners there will be a slight jog in the street.

Another bad corner is at the corner of Third and Dunn streets. It is not the corner so much as it is the bumps. It is impossible for a car to cross at the intersection of these streets without a bad jolting.

All of these places are bad and they could all be made better. If this was done it would make it much more comfortable and much safer.

Most accidents and near accidents could be easily avoided if every motorist would sound his horn and would stop, and look and listen at the railroad crossings.

Miss Gillis Here

Miss Anna Mae Gillis of Mound City a student in the State Teachers College last winter and spring, is the guest of Miss Elvira Ward.

BASKET DINNER AT BETHANY
METHODIST CHURCH TOMORROWFourth Quarterly Conference of the
Year to Be Held—101 Added to
Church

There will be a basket dinner Sunday July 2 at the Bethany Methodist Church, six miles east of Guilford, the occasion being the fourth quarterly conference. The members of both the Methodist churches at Bethany and at Guilford are especially urged to be present. The Rev. H. D. Thompson, D. D., Presiding Elder of the St. Joseph District will preach on Saturday evening and Sunday. This is the last conference of the second year pastorate of the Rev. V. D. Swearingen and during these two years 191 new members have been added to the churches. It is expected the entire official board will be present at these services and make a full report.

MISS ORPHA JAMES DIES
AT COLORADO SPRINGSHad Been in Colorado for More Than
a Year—Body to Be Shipped
Back

News has been received that Miss Orpha James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. James, died at Colorado Springs, Colo., about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. James and two daughters, Verla and Orpha, closed their home in Maryville in March 1921 and have spent the time since then in Colorado because of Miss Orpha's failing health.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed but the body will be brought to the James home, 943 West Third street, and burial may be here or the body may be taken to Elmo for burial.

Miss James was twenty-six years old and is survived by her parents, and two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Meek of Elmo and Miss Verla James.

Mrs. H. W. Meek will be in Maryville today or tomorrow making arrangements at the James home.

PIPE FROM ELKS WELL SHOWS
WHY WATER WAS CONTAMINATEDHad Become Water-Soaked and Had
and Odor—Well Has Been
Cleaned and Lined

People who wonder at the numerous things which might go to make up the contamination of water supplies of different wells in Maryville might look at the cedar pipe which was taken out of the Elks well recently. A pipe which is supposed to have been used in an old pump and which dropped in when it was discarded from active service was removed from the well. It had become water soaked and covered with mud, to say nothing of the odor which it gave off.

After the old pipe was removed, along with other filth, the well was given a good supply of unslacked lime and the pump handle has been placed on the pump again. The water is pronounced safe for human consumption by the health officers.

Samples of water from the other wells and from the city mains will be sent to the state health department as soon as containers can be secured. The state laboratories have large demands for these containers at this time of year and it is hard to get them when ever they are wanted.

TO SING AT "PASSING THRU."

Frank Roelofson and Orchestra to
Furnish Music.

Frank Roelofson will sing at the DeMolay drill patrol movie, "Passing Thru," which will be shown at the Empire Theatre Monday and Tuesday nights. The DeMolay orchestra will also play.

The members of the drill patrol are canvassing the city today selling tickets and will continue to do so Monday. The proceeds from the show will go toward paying the expenses of the drill patrol to the Missouri State DeMolay Conclave in St. Louis in August.

MR. AND MRS. J. K. SAWYERS
JR., HERE FOR THE SUMMER

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Sr., arrived here this morning to spend the summer with Mr. Sawyers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Sr. Mr. Sawyers was coach of athletics at Farmington, W. Va., last winter, where he and Mrs. Sawyers were married the last of February. On their way west they stopped at New Concord, O., to attend the commencement exercises at Muskingum College, of which Mr. Sawyers is a graduate.

To Visit at Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Pickens and Paul Pickens will leave this afternoon for a motor trip to Excelsior Springs where they will visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Verne Pickens.

AUDIENCE PLEASED
WITH "THE RIVALS"SEVEN HUNDRED PEOPLE SAW
THE PERFORMANCE.

GIVEN IN SEVEN SCENES

Players Appear This Afternoon. To
night and Again Monday—
Unusual Costumes.

The Coffey-Miller Players in "The Rivals," the first of the four series of plays that they are to give here made a fine impression last night. Seven hundred people attended the performance and everyone today speaks highly of it.

The three-act comedy was divided into seven scenes and there were no intermissions. The stage was arranged so that the changes could be made in a minute or two for each of the scenes. The three outstanding characters were Captain Jack Absolute, alias Beverly played by Jerry Stone; Mrs. Malaprop played by Martha Miller, and Bob Acres, played by Jess Coffey. Captain Absolute was in love with Lydia Langrish, played by Rose Shaw, and was posing as Beverly. His father, Sir Anthony Absolute, wanted him to marry Lydia, but the Captain did not know that the young lady of his father's choice was the one of his own choosing. Mrs. Malaprop was in favor of the same match, but she did not know that Beverly was Captain Absolute. Lydia did not know who her Beverly was either. In fact, the Captain himself seemed to be about the only person in the world who knew the identity of Beverly.

Lydia had been away to boarding school and had learned to read and to write. Sir Anthony was sure that it was wrong for girls to learn such things. He did not hesitate at all to say so. He was sure that a son who could not consent to marry the girl his father chose for him should be disowned, although he admitted that when he ran away with the Captain's mother nothing in the world could have kept him from doing so.

But there were others in love with Lydia. In fact she had enough lovers to make it a triangle with four sides. The other lovers were Bob Acres and Sir Lucius O'Trigger, an Irish baron, played by Neil Smith. Bob Acres like the rest of those concerned, did not know who Beverly was and he felt that he would invite him to a duel. He was urged into the matter by Sir Lucius. He started out brave enough but wished a thousand times that he had not considered his honor so much as to make a challenge. Sir Lucius coached him on how to fight and he was nearly scared to death. At last the antagonist came and it was none other than Bob's good friend Captain Absolute. Bob was the most relieved man that ever existed. Of course he did not want to fight his good friend and he had a good reason for calling the duel off. At the same time Sir Lucius discovered that he had been tricked and presented the Captain with Mrs. Malaprop.

Mrs. Malaprop had a capacity for using tremendous words but she always got them in at the wrong place. Her use of words kept the audience laughing a good part of the time.

Other characters in the play were Fag, servant to Captain Absolute, played by Charles Booth; Lucy, maid to Mrs. Malaprop, and David, servant to Bob Acres.

The costumes were unusual and were one of the striking and unusual things of the performance.

The players appeared again this afternoon in "The Imaginary Invalid" and this evening will give the "Taming of the Shrew." The closing number will be given Monday afternoon and will be "Guy Manning."

DE MOLAY EXCURSION TO
GO RAIN OR SHINE

The report has been circulated in Maryville today that the De Molay excursion to Omaha has been postponed. This is false. The trip will be made rain or shine according to those in charge. The special car has been ordered on the excursion train and an excursion will be held regardless of the weather.

Miss Turner in Skidmore

Miss Betty Turner was in Skidmore yesterday afternoon in the interests of the Nodaway County chapter of the American Red Cross.

Sarah Ruth Kelley

Mr. and Mrs. Orlean Kelley of near Pickering, announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Ruth, June 22.

THREE BUILDINGS DESTROYED
AT ROLAND EVANS FARMPoultry and Ford Motor Car Were
Also Lost—Origin is Unknown
—Started in Barn

Sometime after 11 o'clock last night a fire started on the Roland Evans farm south of Maryville destroyed the barn, garage and chicken house. Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Eckles are living on and running the Evans farm and about 11:30 o'clock last night Mrs. Eckles discovered the fire. It started in the barn but the origin is unknown. There was no fire near the barn and Mr. Eckles has not been troubled with tramps sleeping in the barn.

There were chickens in the chicken house and a Ford touring car in the garage. Both were destroyed.

The damage, as estimated by Mr. Evans, is around \$2,000. Insurance to the amount of \$800 was carried.

TO MOVE BARNARD
BRIDGE OVER 102WILL BE PLACED ACROSS NEW
DITCH.

STREAM MAY WIDEN

Small New One to Span the Old Stream
at the Edge of Town—Company
to do Moving.

The new ditch for the purpose of straightening the One Hundred and Two River from Barnard to Rosendale crosses the road leading southwest from Barnard and the situation of an adequate bridge has arisen. Ordinarily a bridge with a span of about twenty feet is constructed over such ditches. In this case, however, it is thought that such a bridge will not be sufficient to fill the bill, since the carving in of the banks, due to the current, is likely to cause the stream to become much wider.

The county court has decided to have the drainage company that is doing the ditching, move the bridge that now spans the old bed of the One Hundred and Two, just at the south edge of Barnard, to the place where the ditch crosses the road, some two hundred yards farther out from town. The drainage company will also build a fill as an approach to the bridge. This work is easily done with the great power shovels of the construction company.

It is thought that the old bed of the river, which the bridge now spans, will cease to carry much water within a year or so and that only a small bridge will be required to span it. The court will have a small new bridge, with a span of perhaps twenty feet, to take the place of the one that will be placed over the new ditch.

The ditch has been dug across the road and at present traffic is passing through a field to the north of the road. A block of the field will be left so that traffic can pass through it until the bridge is moved. At no time according to arrangements, the road will be closed to traffic.

MADE PICTURES AT THE
ELMER SHINABARGER FARMStill Pictures of the Loading and
Hauling of Clover and Timothy
Made for Art Titles

George A. Pickens and Ralph Marcell drove to the Elmer Shinabarger farm, eight miles southwest of Maryville and took a picture of his field of Kanrad wheat. They came back past the John Evans farm and took a picture of the cutting of the Turkey Red Wheat on that farm. The pictures here were confined chiefly to the working of the binder.

Still pictures of the loading and hauling of timothy and clover hay and scenes on Florida Creek, eleven miles west of Maryville were made for the art titles.

ANDY BARE OF BARNARD TOPS
THE ST. JOSEPH MARKET

Andy Bare of Barnard topped the St. Joseph market yesterday with forty head of 180 pound hogs of mixed breeding. He sold them at \$10.35 a hundred. They were bought by order buyers. A few strong weight butcher hogs out of his drove sold at \$10.20 a hundred.

Returned to Columbia.

Mrs. D. L. Gribble and children, Mary Margaret and Lawrence, returned this morning to their home in Columbia after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Gribble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Heifer.

IS HOTTEST JUNE
ON BRINK RECORDAVERAGE TEMPERATURE FOR
FIRST 22 DAYS IS 79.

ONLY A LITTLE RAINFALL

So Far There Has Been But 1-10 of an
Inch—Drier than in 1911.

This month so far is the hottest and driest on the record of J. R. Brink, the weather man. The average maximum temperature for this month up to Thursday was 91 and the average minimum temperature was 66. The average temperature was 79. This is also the highest average temperature. The next highest was in 1918 when the average temperature was 75. The maximum average temperature that year was 89 and the minimum average was 69.

This has also been the driest month. There has been only 1-10 of an inch of rainfall. The closest month of June to this one was in 1911 when there was only 1.06 inches of rain. The year when the most rain fell was in 1917 when in the month of June there was 13.54 inches of rain. This was more than one-third of the average yearly rainfall for this section of the country.

Although this has been the hottest June, the temperature has not risen so high as in some former years. In 1918 there were four days in the month of June when the mercury soared to 101.

There are two reasons that this month has been the hottest June. One of them is that the temperature has stayed high for a longer period of hours during the days and the other is that the nights have been warmer than in past years.

In the past there have been some years when hot days came early in the month of June. Some of these follow:

June 3, 1901, 97 degrees; June 4, 1914, 97 degrees; June 6, 1909, 97 degrees; June 8, 1911, 100 degrees.

The hottest day so far this month was Monday, June 12, when the thermometer registered 95 degrees. However, there is no need to worry. Some time this summer it will climb up above the 100 mark.

But we need the rain. The farmers are complaining and say that the crops are beginning to be hurt. They think it would be far better they say to have about three inches of rain right now than to be able to say that there was only 1-10 of an inch of rain during the whole month.

EMPIRE THEATRE TO HAVE
RADIO RECEIVING SETWill Pick Up Music From the Famous
Orchestra at the Newman
Theater of Kansas City.

Paul Kuehls, assistant manager of the Empire Theatre, announced this morning that within the week the Empire would be equipped with a radio receiving set. There will also be a set installed in the Kuehls Bros. jewelry store.

Albert Kuehls has taken the local agency for the Rex Radio Company of Kansas City and has employed Gordon Roach as a salesman.

The receiving set that is to be installed at the theatre is to be installed for two reasons. The first is that it will give the moving picture goers a chance to have other things than movies and the second is that the Newman Theatre of Kansas City is installing a radio transmitting station and will send out nightly the music of the famous Newman Theatre orchestra.

Thus it is that the people of Maryville will be able to go to the Empire and hear one of the best orchestras in the country.

Mrs. R. C. Benight to Visit Here
Mrs. R. C. Benight of Denver, Colo., will arrive here Monday for a short visit at the Dr. F. M. Ryan home. Mrs. Benight formerly lived in Maryville and her daughter, Miss Cecil, was a member of the Public School faculty.

Visiting His Mother

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lahr of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mr. Lahr's mother, Mrs. Maggie Lahr. They will return home Sunday.

Visiting Prof. and Mrs. Atkinson
Clifford Sparks of Diller, Neb., and Miss Neva Carpenter of Oregon are visiting over the weekend at the home of Prof. and Mrs. E. W. Atkinson, 543 West First street.

DR. WALTER RATHENAU
ASSASSINATED AT BERLINWas the Chief Link of Amicable Deal-
ings Between Germany and the
Allies

Berlin, June 24.—Dr. Walter Rathenau, foreign secretary, was assassinated here today as he was on his way to his office. The assassins escaped in a motor car, from which they fired ten shots into Rathenau's motor car. They also threw hand grenades. Chancellor Wirth blames the reactionary propaganda and France's policy for the deed.

The death of Rathenau removes the chief link whereby amicable dealings between Germany and the allies was carried on.

Rathenau was not professional functionary but he entered politics at the urging of prominent men. He was head of the German General Electric Company. He served as minister of reconstruction before becoming foreign secretary. He strongly supported Wirth's policy of fulfillment, thereby hoping for lighter reparations of the burdens and amicable dealing with France, this cause the bitter attack.

London, June 24.—Martial law is proclaimed in Berlin, says a dispatch to the Star here. A manifesto was issued by traders unions calling on the workers to resist. There is a possibility of a Royalists uprising, said the message, adding that the police are chasing the Rathenau assassins.

ROADS IN NODAWAY COUNTY
ARE WELL MARKEDIf One Knows Where He Wants to
Go It Is Easy to Keep
on the Road.

J. C. Whitten of Blocton, La., who is making for the St. Joseph Automobile Club the Itasca Park highway, was in Maryville today. He is placing five markers to the mile. The marker reads I. P. H. He will also mark a highway for the club from St. Joseph to Excelsior Springs.

Few counties in the state have the roads better marked than they are in Nodaway County. Some of the best and most easily read markers are those put up by the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. The boards with their arrows and easily read names have proven a comfort to many motorists on dark nights when his lights showed up the signs where the roads turn and assured him that he was right or told him which way to turn. If one knows where it is that he wants to go it is hard to get off the road.

HOPKINS SUNDAY SCHOOL
PASSES HONOLULU

The Sunday School of the Hopkins Christian Church is in a "Round the World Airship Contest." It has been divided into the Reds and the Blues and each side has passed Honolulu on the tour. The Blues were four hours ahead at the meeting of the class last Sunday.

WHITE CLOUD TO HAVE
SOME NEW FIXTURES

The White Chapel School, northwest of Clearmont, is to have a set of new seats for the pupils and a new desk for the teacher when school opens next fall, it was decided at a meeting of the board last night. Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was present at the meeting.

BASEBALL SCORES
By Radio Supply Co.

National League	
Boston	1
Philadelphia	4
Boston	1
Philadelphia	6
Brooklyn	6
New York	5
Cincinnati	7
Pittsburg	3

American League

Cleveland	1
Chicago	3 end of 6th
Philadelphia	4
Washington	1 end of
St. Louis	
Detroit—No score	
New York	5
Boston	4 end of 4th

American Association

Kansas City	3
Columbus	2 end of 7th
Minneapolis	0
Indianapolis	3 end of 1st
Milwaukee	2
Toledo	1 end of 6th
St. Paul	
Louisville—No score	

HERRIN OFFICIALS
SAID TO BE COWEDOPERATORS SAY FURTHER RIOT-
ING IS IMMINENT.

DENOUNCED IN SENATE

Meyers of Montana Says Massacre Is
Worse Than Any German
Atrocity.

Chicago, June 24.—In a telegram to Governor Small from Arthur Lytton, representing the Southern Illinois Coal Company, it was declared that further rioting is imminent and that the county officials are "cowed and buffaloed." The telegram asked for troops.

Washington, June 24.—The Illinois mine strike fighting was condemned today in the senate by Meyers, Democrat, Montana as "More horrible, more shocking and more inexcusable" than any German atrocity in the World War. Meyers is an avowed foe of the organized labor and defended the operators in their action in importing miners.

Herrin, Ill., June 24.—The military commission, ordered by Governor Leu Small to investigate the Herrin massacre, arrived today. Public opinion is solidly with the miners. Hugh Willis, leader of ten thousand miners in this district, declares that the strike breakers did the first shooting and laid the blame at the door of the company. He admitted the massacre to which he was an eye witness. He cautioned the men against it.

The massacre list is now twenty-three.

Herrin, June 24.—Local authorities informed the military board of inquiry that sending troops here is unnecessary. The arrival of the commission had a marked effect in reducing the number of men idling in the streets.

St. Louis, June 24.—Declaring that the Williamson County miners will never stand a machine gun rule, President Frank Farrington of the Illinois miners blamed the Southern Illinois Coal Company for the Herrin massacre. Farrington, enroute to Herrin, declared that Lewis' letter describing the strip mine workers as common scabs did not cause trouble.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 24.—In an attempt to prevent the picketing of wagon mines the Knox County attorneys for Clara Masson filed an application for an injunction in the federal court here against the United Mine Workers, naming Lewis and twenty-nine officials of the union. The petition asks that the defendant require the withdrawal of the picketing order. This is the first application in the big strike.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO
HAVE RADIO ENTERTAINMENTTo "Listen in" Monday Evening While
Assembled at the Linville
Hotel

The program committee of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce has arranged a radio concert for the weekly luncheon Monday evening. The luncheon will be served at the Linville hotel next week and the Radio Supply Company has been busy making the necessary arrangements for the diners to "listen in" on a concert which will come from Omaha. L. M. Eek will be chairman of the meeting next week. It is planned for the concert to last about twenty minutes.

REFUSE TO ASK U. S. TO
RECOGNIZE THE SOVIET

Cincinnati, June 24.—After a bitter fight the American Federation of Labor refused to ask the United States to recognize the Soviet Russian government and to establish trade relations.

Forecast on Tomatoes.
Washington, June 24.—Production of commercial tomatoes in Mississippi is forecast by the Department of Agriculture at 2,321 cars of 296 crates each. This is an increase of 215 cars over the production of last year.

THE WEATHER

Local thundershowers probable this afternoon or tonight, cooler to-night generally fair, cooler in the east and south portions.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Lewis C. Gabbert hereby announces as a candidate for renomination for Congress, fourth district of Missouri, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held August 1, 1922.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Presiding Judge of the Nodaway County Court, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the Primary Election on Tuesday, August 1.

HENRY N. MOORE.

A TAX ON INTELLIGENCE?

The reduction on second class postal rates, under consideration by the administration, would be a move toward justice. The second class rates were advanced in the war from 100 per cent in the first zone to 900 per cent in the last zone. The results are almost prohibitive.

The Star, for instance, sells out of town at \$7.50 a year. But the post-office charges \$13 a year to carry the paper to a subscriber in New York City, almost double the subscription price.

The tendency of these excessive zone rates is to prevent publications from circulating at a considerable distance from home. This in turn tends to divide the country into zones of thought and interest, to increase sectional feeling.

Simply as a nationalizing proposition the nation thinks it worth while to make a low first class postage rate. The same considerations should impel a reduction in the second class rates, which, as has been said, are still on a war level.

A democracy depends on the intelligence of the people and on their common interests. An unduly high postal rate on periodicals and newspapers is a tax on intelligence which the nation cannot afford to impose.—Kansas City Star.

ABOLISHING POVERTY

A social reformer remarked the other day that he hoped to see poverty entirely removed. This was a noble and generous attitude and everybody will endorse the sentiment. He did not state how he proposed to go about it, however. To accomplish this desirable end, a good deal of a change in human nature would seem to be necessary. An equal distribution of wealth has been dreamed for many centuries.

It will not come about while a lot of people are drinking poisonous bootleg stuff at high prices, which undermines their health and takes money from their families. A man can't expect that he can obtain and keep any job of importance, while he is enjoying this flimsy stimulation. Nor will it come about as long as men will take their wages and throw them away in gambling rooms without even a shadow of substance in return. The social reformer has got to quench his ardent thirst before he realizes his



When You Are Selecting

a monument for your dead remember it is to be a permanent testimonial of your love and esteem for them. Consider quality above price, and insist that it be of the best material procurable and embellish with a finish which is truly representative of the best in stone craftsmanship.

May We Serve You?
"We Have No Agents."

Maryville Granite Company

highly desirable ideal.

A man who has contracted disease by social vices also is not likely to be free from the curse of poverty. No business wants men who labor under that curse.

The people who do as little work as they can must also suffer the natural economic results. The man who drags along for fear that he will work himself out of a job, is going to be out of work a lot of the time. When there are many men of this type, and a lot of them have been in evidence of recent years, the high cost production makes the prices of merchandise high, so that the ordinary run of people can't buy it. Inability to buy tends to create slack work in the factories and a lot of people are poor because their wrong working habits promote unemployment.

Also there must be efficient government, so that taxes will be moderate and not impose an undue burden on industry. That means that the voters must show sense enough to put men in power who will run the government in an economical way. While the human race is eagerly desirous of seeing poverty abolished, yet changes in human nature are necessary to accomplish this end. The world should work enthusiastically toward all these reforms, but they can't be accomplished without fundamental changes nor without time.

A man with a growing family and a second hand car is up against a hard proposition.

A Boston woman has sued for \$1,000 for the loss of her husband. That looks like profiteering.

A glue seller in Kansas City got stuck. After seventy-five women customers cornered him he was taken to police court and fined.

Success consists largely in getting into the right thing at the right time and failure in getting into the wrong thing at anytime.

This summer's longest day has now passed and, if it is to continue as hot as it is, we may just as well have more of the days after sundown.

Congress now expects to pass the tariff bill about August first. That is about the time of year when the public is about all in and it is easier to put over most anything on it.

Women have reached the lower house of Congress. One, at least is now headed for the senate. When they reach the senate, then there is the white house. After that the judgement.

BRIDE STOLEN FROM WEDDING BY BROTHER

Just as the Groom was Placing the Ring on Her Finger the Brother Arrived.

Vancouver, Wash., June 24—With ring, marriage license and sweetheart Richard W. Field appeared before the Rev. A. D. Skaggs here.

When Field later left the parsonage he still had the ring and the marriage license—and a black eye—but no bride.

The groom-to-be was in the very act of placing the ring on the finger of Miss Virginia Griffin when the latter's brother rushed into the room shouting:

"This marriage shall go no further." The brother ordered his sister's lover to "come outside." Field did so and received a wallop in the eye. Then the brother's friend appeared with an automobile, and the two men dragged the near-bride into the machine and speeded away.

Field was left standing on the porch holding a ring in one hand and a marriage license in the other, and it was only with one eye that he could follow the rapid disappearance of his sweetheart. He was unable to explain the brother's objection to the marriage, which the latter succeeded in preventing by a matter of a couple of seconds.

WILLIAM ROCKEFELLER DIES AT TERRYTOWN, N. Y.

Tarrytown, N. Y., June 24—William Rockefeller, brother of John D. Rockefeller, died here early today of pneumonia. He was in his eighty-first year. He was stricken last Sunday. The whole family was at his bedside. William had just completed a quarter of a million dollar museum at the Sleepy Hollow Seminary.

IOWA STOCK MAN LIKES

KINNAIRD'S FILING SYSTEM

E. F. Miller of the Charity Flat Stock Farm of Hazelton, Ia., is in Maryville today consulting with Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent. He said that he had seen many different filing systems for farm bulletins, but the one which Mr. Kinnaird uses is the best he had ever seen. The files are handy and economize space said Mr. Miller.

William A. Berg and Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent, are working in the country today in interest of the calf club. They are in the neighborhood of Gaynor and will visit the farms of Hubert Null, Alfred Crater and Ernest Wray.

Forumettes

The man who is not always
Thinking of himself is
Sure to be remembered
By many others.

By this time we are waist deep in June.

We hear a lot about the open door policy. What is needed in some towns is the closed mouth policy.

The love of money may be the root of all evil but the lack of it is the cause of much grief.

The golden rule measures exactly twelve inches to the foot.

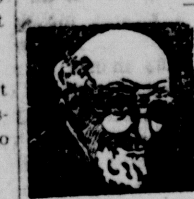
Few Maryville men are heroes to their own stenographer.

The oldest inhabitant in Maryville talks a lot but he can't make near as much noise as the tooth-cutting youngest inhabitant.

There are some men in Maryville so lazy that about the only time they get a move on themselves is when their wives tell them dinner is ready.

It isn't the man's worth but rather what he is worth that interests the average unattached Maryville girl.

The court house cynic says when some people get into the public eye they afford about as much pleasure as a cinder would in a similar position.



Uncle Abner, the town philosopher, says some people live off their wits and some off the lack of wits of others.

Your name may belong to you but other people use it more than you do.

The Maryville man who says he never makes a mistake probably does not know one when he sees it.



Louise, the stenographer, says if there were nobody in the world to tell it to, a woman would not care any more for a secret than a man does.

A Maryville bachelor observed the other day that a married man no sooner gets out of his trouble by becoming a widower than he wants to

go and do it all over again.

When you find a Maryville man too honest to steal an umbrella it is sure betting that he has his eye on something else worth much more.

Action may speak louder than words but you can't make the average Maryville woman believe it.

It is better to share our joys than our sorrows with those we love.

Vagrant Musings

A lazy man never gets ahead unless someone puts a head on him.

The average man is charitable to every other woman but his wife.

It is the man who can keep his mouth shut who can keep his brain open.

The best way to teach children to be good is to set a good example.

A lot of people get over-heated these days rushing around looking for a cool spot.

The Road to Yesterday

Who of us can't remember the day when every business man wrote his letters out in long hand and the man who had a typewriter and a stenographer was considered a bit ahead of the times? Also when it used to be considered a term of derision to refer to a young woman as a stenographer?

FRENCH CONSUL LEARNS

GREAT GAME OF POKER

Paris, June 24—American friends taught Gustave Ducousse, Chancellor of the French Consulate-General at Mayence, in the occupied area, how to play poker.

Ducousse taught his friends.

Yesterday he answered charges of embezzling 30,000 francs in passport charges never recorded in the books of the Government.

"Poker did it!" he told the gendarmes who arrested him.

ELEVEN AT ARKOE BABY

CLINIC YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Nine babies and two school children attended the health clinic, which Dr. Claud P. Fryer, county health officer and Miss Margaret Scully and Mrs. Grace Bean, county health nurses held at Arkoe yesterday afternoon. The health officers held a clinic in the county health offices this morning.

Is Chosen Secretary.

F. C. Donnell, formerly of Maryville, has been chosen as secretary of the International Fur Exchange, which has its office in St. Louis. The International Fur Exchange has recently been reorganized.

Fifty Years Ago

(From the files of the Nodaway Democrat June 27, 1872).

We are requested to give notice that the Nodaway County Horse Thief Detective Society will hold a meeting at the Court House in Maryville on July 6, 1872. Every member of the society is expected to be present.

The St. Joseph Reflector, one of our best weekly exchanges, says: "Nodaway Democrat—This most excellent Democratic county paper comes to us in an entire new dress and greatly improved in appearance. The Democrat is one of our best exchanges—always laden with news and is ever a welcome visitor."

Our German citizens last week organized a German singing club under the name of the "Harmonia."

We call attention to the new law and real estate card of Anthony and Royal in today's paper.

Ed Moss not only knows how to keep one of the nicest and most complete ice cream saloons and confectioneries in the West but he knows that printers appreciate such things as highly as other people.

Mr. T. W. Yarnall of Pickering has made a slight change in his business and now deals in drugs, fancy groceries and notions of which he has a fine stock.

We are under obligations to Will Ashford for the finest lot of raspberries we have seen this year.

Today is the railroad election, to vote on the subscription of \$125,000 to the stock of the East and West Road.

On last Thursday evening Mr. George Worst and Miss Belle Hess were married at the residence of Samuel Townsend, Esq.

Sapp George and Co. have a large and very fine selection of clothing boots, shoes, hats etc.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee for the celebration of the anniversary of American independence held at Graham June 22, 1872—President H. C. Linville, J. M. Welch, P. M. Paschal, J. Q. Brink and Isaac Morton the following committees were appointed:

One Finance—J. Q. Brink, J. R. Bradford and Henry Forcade.

On Grounds—J. F. Brown, James McCulloch and J. Harlan.

On Water—J. Q. Brink, Thos. Kelso and Isaiah Brown.

On Reception—Dr. J. M. Brand, Wm. Holt, Esq., J. R. Bradford, R. C. Bohart Dr. J. C. Taylor and others.

On Decoration—Mrs. G. W. Hatch-

son, Miss Sarah E. Bradford, J. W. Morgan, P. J. Barron and others.

On Table—W. Fuller, Judge W. V. Smith, John Mast, E. Waller, Mrs. C. F. Bradford, Mrs. T. L. Marlin, Miss Mattie Groves, Miss Mary Lang and others.

On printing—J. W. Morgan.

20 Years Ago

John P. Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Keller of this city won the West Point cadetship at an examination held in St. Louis Tuesday.

Judges Rogers and Whiteford held a session of county court Tuesday and Wednesday. Judge Sowers was not able to be present on account of sickness.

Our old friend, William Kraft of Quitman was over Tuesday and attended the called meeting of Owen Royal Arch Masons. He is almost 75 years of age, and has been a Chapter member since 1864.

Ray Lee is home from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Minnie Sunderland of Chicago is visiting Mrs. C. D. Leffler.

If plans, made by Elks at a meeting of the lodge Tuesday night, do not fail, Maryville will have the biggest street fair this fall ever heard of.

We are glad to note that Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones are back with us to make their home here.

Owens R. A. Chapter had a called meeting Tuesday night and conferred the degrees of Mark Master, Past Master and Most Excellent Master on four candidates, namely, C. D. Hocker, W. J. Beggs and Alex H. Wilson of Gafford and the Rev. Bagley of Maitland. A banquet was served.

Young men noted for their musical ability, have organized a brass band in this city and in a very short time our citizens will be treated to some excellent music.

Horace Jones, the big land owner and cattle and hog feeder, received

honorable mention at the Charleston Exposition for a display of fine corn.

Jacob Shamberger and wife of Hughes township have returned from a visit with relatives at Meadville, Pennsylvania.

Elder O. W. Lawrence and wife are in Des Moines this week attending the commencement exercises of Drake University.

George F. Woodworth has a letter a few days ago from Joseph Craig who is at Can Diego, California.

From Frank Hart, who was in town Saturday, we learn that the large barn of Low Nigh, near Gaynor City, was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of June 12.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Allen and son Guy will go to Colorado about the first of July.

Richard Jones and wife have returned from Addington, Indian Territory, to Maryville, Mr. Jones having sold his claim.

Miss Mabel Owens visited a few days last week with the family of J. M. Hurst at Tarkio.

W. A. Hopper is making nice improvements on his fifteen acres north of town. W. A. is a hustler.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor, accompanied by her granddaughter, Katie Taylor left Saturday evening for Chicago to visit her son.

Mrs. M. C. Bean and little girl went to Bedford Saturday to visit for a week or so with her grandfather, Rev. Wm. Golding.

Charles Friend and wife of Ravenwood were guests Sunday of Sam Lowrey and family.

Drove to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Dan R. Baker with her guests Mrs. Charles Duff and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Bloekton, Iowa, and her son, Richard motored to St. Joseph yesterday and spent the day.

James Todd is in Moberly today.

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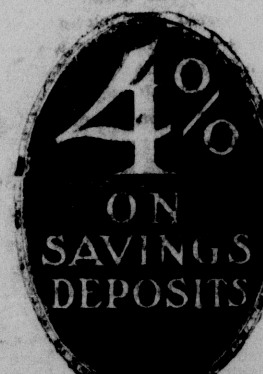
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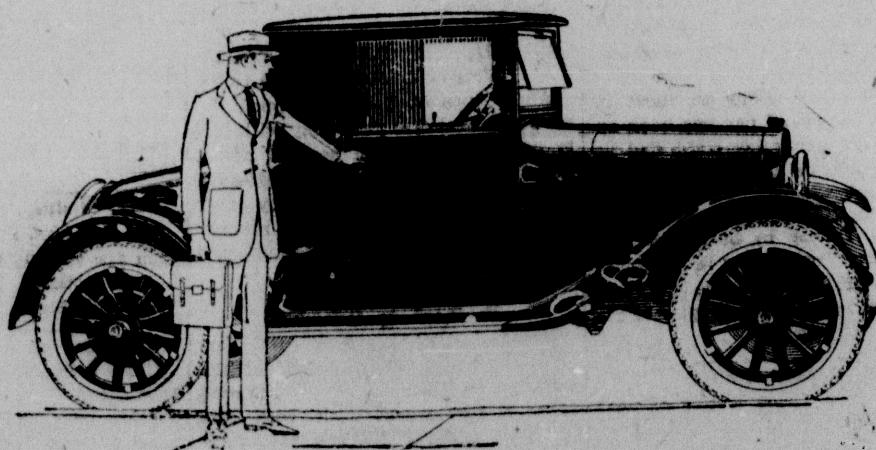
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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

FOR SALE—Residence with 6 rooms and bath, corner lot, located 5 blocks from square. Bargain if taken at once. Inquire this office. M31tf

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, \$12. 121 North Laura St. 22-24

FOR SALE—3 Jersey cows, and one part Jersey. Harry T. Wilson, Burlington Junction, Mo. J22tf

FOR SALE—Cows, any amount. Farmers Exchange. 23-26

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2 Ford touring cars. See Ben Malam, 222 E. Second St. 23-26

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR EXCHANGE—First mortgage Securities most any amount for your idle money. Nothing beats interest as an investment. Fifty years experience at your service. See me while you think of it. Charles Hyslop. M9tf

LOST—Bunch of keys, 3 on ring. Leave at this office. 23-24

BUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co., Han. 6114. M24tf

LOST—An automobile blanket. Finder please return to this office. 24-27

DISTRICT MANAGER—There is a big opportunity for some live man to secure an exclusive selling agency line without competition. We have circularized your territory and are able to turn over to you inquiries from dealers ready to represent us. Must finance initial order. Give telephone number if possible. Alcomco Mfg. Co., 146 Bridge St., Newark, N. J. 22-24

FOR RENT—60 acres of good pasture land, good water, 2 miles west of Maryville. Paul Sisson. J22tf

STRAYED—Children's pet white rabbit, from residence 1116 N. Mulberry Friday night. Reward. Call Hanamo 3216. tf

WANTED—Dishwasher, apply at Merchants Cafe. 22-24

WANTED—Laundry work. W. D. Pride, North Allen St. 22-24

WANTED—All kinds of tin work. Roof, gutter, cornice and furnace work. We repair auto radiators. Heideman and Leet, 411 N. Main St. J22tf

MAN OR WOMAN WANTED—\$40 weekly full time, \$1.00 an hour spare time, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearer. Experience unnecessary. International Hosiery Mills, B118, Norristown, Pa. M25-tf

YOUR FUTURE FORETOLD—Send dime, birthdate for truthful, reliable, convincing trial reading. Erving, box 1120, Sta. C, Los Angeles, Cal. J24-tf

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Chicago Future Grain
By Radio Supply Co.

WHEAT—	high	low	close
July	1.13%	1.12%	1.13%
Sept.	1.14%	1.13%	1.14% to %
Dec.	1.18	1.17%	1.17% to 1.18
CORN—			
July	.63%	.62%	.63%
Sept.	.67	.66%	.66% to %
Dec.	.67	.65%	.66%
OATS—			
July	.37%	.36%	.37%
Sept.	.40%	.39%	.40% to %
Dec.	.42%	.41%	.42%
RYE—			
July	.88	.87%	.87%
Sept.	.87%	.87%	.87%
Dec.			.89%

Live Stock

Omaha, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady.
 HOGS—Receipts, 11,500; 5 to 10 off light weight bulk, \$9.00 to \$10.10; top \$10.20.

Chicago, June 24—HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; steady; top, \$10.80.
 CATTLE—Receipts, 500.
 SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.

St. Louis, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 300.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500.
 SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

Kansas City, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 500.
 HOGS—Receipts, 1,200.

St. Joseph, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 250.
 HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; top, \$10.40.
 SHEEP—Receipts, 350.
 All steady.

LOCAL MARKETS

Sggs per dozen	16c
Hens, per lb.	16c
Springers per lb.	25c
Stags, per lb.	10c
Roosters per lb.	7c
Ducks, per lb.	8c
Geese, per lb.	8c
Butter fat per lb.	28c
Hides, per lb.	5c

PARNELL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor White and two children of Dearborn are visiting at the home of J. A. Ransom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Doling and child and Mrs. Knauss of Guthrie, Oklahoma, were visiting at the home of Mrs. Thos. Cordill. Mr. Doling is a nephew of Mrs. Cordill. They returned to Maryville, where they are visiting at the home of B. C. Hall.

Miss Mary Shepherd of Afton, Iowa, is visiting J. A. Ransom.

Mrs. S. A. Muse and mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson, took 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Col. Chas. Evans Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Boedecker and son, Carl and daughter, Louise, and Clem Bremner motored to Omaha, Nebr., where they will visit relatives.

Grandpa Collins is very ill.

Miss Coler is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Birkenholz this week.

Mrs. Oscar Keever's mother left for her home yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Berg of Ravenwood left for Indiana to attend the wedding of her sister.

Eugene Malone, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Knaas, left for his home at Minot, N. Dak. He has been attending school at Conception. This makes his second year.

Mrs. W. H. Poland is on the sick list this week.

Walter Spoonmore has just returned from Arlington, Wash., where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Knaas. He reports her much better.

E. J. Knaas and brother, Noble, motored to St. Joseph this week.

Mrs. Mary Jane Wilhite west of Maryville is visiting her brother, J. W. Kennedy, and wife.

The third quarterly meeting of the Methodist church will be held at Conception Sunday.

J. N. Norris left for New York with a carload of poultry Friday.

Jesse Miller, Sr.

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News From Over
The County

Barnard Bulletin

Dean Humbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Humbert, who returned a week ago from college in the east, went to Jefferson City Saturday to take the State Board Medical Examination for Missouri. Humbert is a graduate of the Missouri University has attended several medical schools in the north and east and has had considerable actual practice in his profession. He went on the Raleigh, N. C., where he will spend two months on the hospital staff of one of the principal hospitals of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Skidmore and children returned home Tuesday evening, having come earlier than they originally planned in response to a telegram, advising them of Mrs. Skidmore's father's condition. Mr. Douglas is seriously ill at his home and except for Sunday, has known no one for several days.

R. E. Cook believes he is a lucky man. On Monday he started cutting down fifteen acres of fine clover hay and thinks he will be able to get it all in his big barn without a rain. He is hauling it from the window with a bull-rake and pulling it into the barn with a grapple hook hayfork. He says the yield will be good.

Ova Goff and family returned from St. Joseph last week and moved into the Andy Sell property. Mr. Goff has taken work with the McCleave Motor Co. He was in cabinet work while in St. Joseph, but there is no place like home for former Barnard boys.

The touring car driven by Mrs. Will Conlin and the truck driven by W. R. Hukill ran together Sunday and the Conlin car was badly damaged. The cars were approaching a corner at right angles when the truck struck the side of the car and doing other damage. Neither driver was hurt.

The Hopkins Journal

An auto crash in which two Hopkins young men participated happened last Friday evening in the north-east part of Maryville when in some manner the Dodge car driven by Earl Miller and the Ford driven by a son of Will Morehouse came together head on while turning a corner. While the Ford escaped with less injury, the Dodge was badly damaged, the frame being bent and the body damaged beyond repair. It is now in a garage at Maryville. Dr. Miller having about decided to dispose of it and buy a new car.

William T. Fine owned a fine Jersey cow and Grover Thompson a Buick car—until last Saturday, when the car became the property of the former and the cow the property of the last named. Grover decided he would rather have good milk, cream and butter than a car. Mr. Fine operates a saw mill north of town and will use the car in going to and from his work.

Jason W. Osborn of Basin, Wyo., and Miss Ethel Pickering of Wibeaux, Mont., were married last week at Billings, Mont., the ceremony taking place at the parsonage of the Episcopal church, Dean Matthews officiating. The bride is an accomplished young lady and the groom will be remembered by most Hopkins people, being a son of the late Jason Osborn and his mother and a brother and sister still reside on the home farm north of Hopkins. J. W. is a contractor and builder of Basin and the newlyweds will make that city their home.

Charley Wood, Jr., who plowed corn last week for Cal Lee, east of Bedford reports hog cholera in that vicinity. The disease broke out in the herd while he was there and Cal lost thirteen head before he could have the hogs vaccinated.

The Miller and wife and Emmett Miller and wife left last week in Emmett's new Studebaker car for a tour of the west, taking a tent and will camp out nights and do their own cooking. They will visit Idaho and other western states, returning by way of Yellowstone Park, expecting to be away the balance of the summer. Joe Smith and wife occupy the Miller home and Joe will look after the feeding and the crops until Tim returns.

Burlington Junction Post

Berry Hann and S. P. Daugherty spent Tuesday and Wednesday night on the Missouri river south of Hamburg, Iowa where they succeeded in landing a pretty good catch of fish. They returned home yesterday morning, and spent the remainder of the day in cleaning fish, which varied in length from eighteen inches to three feet—more or less.

Ralph Boyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyer of east of Burlington Junction, who graduated from the Hardesty school this year, has been awarded a scholarship in the Burlington Junction high school for making the highest grades in the township in the county examinations last spring. The student making the second highest grades in the township will be given a scholarship in either the Clearmont or Elmo high schools. Miss Freeclove Comb was teacher last year at Hardesty and has been re-elected for the coming year.

C. B. Zarn left Monday for his home at Hollywood, California, after a visit of three weeks here with old friends.

A. Booher, Senior, and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Carter of southeast of town were Burlington Junction visitors Saturday. Mr. Booher, who is well above the allotted time of three score years and ten, is in pretty good health and except for failing eyesight retains his faculties to a remarkable degree.

Elmo Register.

W. B. Ammons is finishing this week moving to College Springs, where he has opened a restaurant. He was in business here several months and is a good restaurant man. The family will be missed here.

John Tadder's little boy, who was run over by their car about two weeks ago, had an X-ray picture taken Tuesday. They found one bone broken in one hip and two in the other. He was put in a plaster paris cast.

Ed Horn's left this Tuesday morning for Akron, Colo., to make it their home. The Register follows to keep them in touch with the old home, where they were born and raised.

Skidmore News.

Last Thursday morning, Mrs. G. H. Patterson purchased the Commercial Hotel from Mrs. R. P. Johnson. Possession was given Thursday afternoon, and Mrs. Patterson has been pretty busy since, getting ready for business. The place is getting a thorough cleaning and the paperhanger will be there tomorrow to paper the parlor and some of the rooms upstairs.

Miss Louisa Strickler left last week for Boulder, Colo., where she will attend a six weeks' term at the State University, after which she will visit at the home of her uncle, Walter Strickler at Loveland, Colo. She will return home by way of Kansas, where she will visit her cousin, Mrs. Ross De Witt.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks of Pasadena, Calif., arrived last week for an extended visit with Mrs. Sparks' sister, Mrs. J. R. Hodgins, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks made the trip in a Studebaker, covered 2,372 miles consumed 159 gallons of gasoline and had one puncture. They came by the way of Grand Canyon and the petrified forests and followed the Santa Fe Trail the major portion of the way. They report the roads in a good structural condition, but bumpy. The worst and only dangerous roads were found between Atkinson, Kansas, and St. Joseph, Mo., where they were forced to leave the pavement because of some repairing and made a detour over some extremely bad roads.

Word has been received of the death of Eben Small, who stayed with Ambrose Collins on Sand Creek for so many years, and later went to Oklahoma with the Collins family.

The Graham Tribune.

Perry Roach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roach, living south of town while operating a blue grass stripper Monday, got his foot tangled up in the wheels of the machine, with the result that the knee and ankle were badly sprained.

Clarence McGinnis had the misfortune to break his arm while cranking a truck last week.

Mrs. Ed Geyer was in St. Joseph last Saturday, and called to see Dr. Rhoades, who has been in the hospital since the 3rd of June, and he reports that he is very much improved and hopes to get home soon.

While working with a blue grass stripper on the Robert Gex place last Thursday, Ernest Hale got one of his fingers tangled up with the cogwheels on the machine, bruising it up quite severely.

Ray-James, who at one time was employed at Nick's barber shop here, recently purchased a shop at Fillmore and will conduct the same at that place. His many friends here will be glad to learn of his progress.

The Conception Courier.

Wm. Corcoran had the misfortune to sever a small artery in the back of his right hand, while mowing the lawn at his home here, Wednesday. We are glad to report that the injured member while causing him considerable pain is getting along nicely.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Willard Foster, who recently underwent an operation at Noyes Hospital in St. Joseph, still continues to improve nicely. The many friends of Andrew Davis who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Noyes Hospital in St. Joseph, will be pleased to learn that he is getting along nicely now.

The Guilford Times.

Whiteford McLean, who has been attending school in St. Marys, Kans., returned home last Wednesday.

Dr. J. W. Hannah, who has been with his son, Jay, in Oklahoma, came to Guilford Saturday, accompanied by his son to be here a few days on business. The Dr. will likely resume his practice here.

Ray Lemaster has recently lost five of his lambs by wolves. He shut them in the barn Friday night and the wolves came again and showed their displeasure at being deprived of their feast by a serenade of howls. Clive Nelson also lost one lamb the same way.

C. D. Farnan, wife and daughter Marie, are in from their home near Yuma, Colo., having driven through in their car. Marie may stay with her

aunt, Miss Louisa Ballard, while her parents will return to Colorado. Key has out about 800 acres of wheat, 200 acres of barley, and 100 acres of corn. The Farnans expect to be in their old home here at Guilford by Sept. 1. Their many friends will rejoice to welcome them back.

Some person or persons without fear of God, the law or justice, and with all the instincts of being lower than a cat, slipped into A. G. Robinson's chicken roost Friday night, while Mr. Robinson and son, Irvin were away at work and stole about fifty or sixty hens. Such devilry will sooner or later meet the business end of a shot gun and people may then be permitted to enjoy the fruits of their labor in peace.

The Clearmont News.

The large barn on John Baker's farm, three and one-half miles southwest of Burlington Junction, was burned to the ground Sunday night between 10 and 11 o'clock, with most of its contents. The tenant, J. F. Brown, lost all of his hay and grain, all of his harness, two sows and several shoats. Mr. Baker also lost some alfalfa hay that was in the mow. The fire is supposed to have been caused by lightning, and when discovered the entire roof was in flames and just ready to fall in. Mr. Brown was fortunate in one way, as he had turned his horses out in pasture. His loss comes pretty hard on him, as all his feed for his horses for the summer was consumed. Mr. Baker had \$1,000 insurance on the barn, about half what it was worth.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory received word Sunday that her stepmother, Mrs. Lorimer, died that morning at Mt. Airy, Ia. Her daughters, Mrs. Glenn and Mrs. Humphrey, went there that evening and Tuesday Mrs. Gregory and her sons Milton and Oliver and their families went up to attend the funeral which took place Wednesday.

A good many have commenced harvesting their wheat and by the last of the week the harvest will be in full blast.

The Ravenwood Gazette.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sims left Wednesday morning for Camden Point, where they will stay over night at the home of Miss Allen Willis, and from there will go to Kansas City to attend a convention of the International Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Banion went to Omaha, Nebr., Monday morning to consult a physician in regard to Mrs. O'Banion's health.

Obed Oglesby received Monday morning \$395 from the South Dakota state bonus; Ezra McMulin \$200 and Lewis Comer \$135, recently from the Missouri state bonus.

Mr. and Mrs. Obed Oglesby announce the birth of a son to them, on Tuesday June 20, 1922, to which they have given the name of Obed Byron.

Mrs. Hattie Bentley and niece, Leola Ross, who have been visiting Mrs. Bentley's mother, Mrs. Francis Ross, and other relatives here for the past month left Tuesday morning for their home at Sterling, Colo. Upon reaching Sterling they will join Mr. Bentley and proceed to California, where they will stay indefinitely.

Will Tag Pedestrians

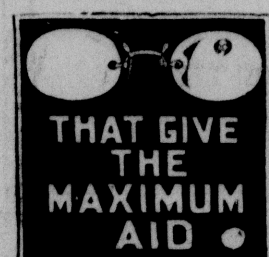
Paris, June 24—Use of identity tags like those hung from soldiers' necks during the war, has been proposed for the Paris pedestrians. These would preclude the necessity of taking him to the morgue when he finally falls victim to reckless driving. Establishment of evacuation hospitals at busy corners is also suggested.

Farmers Attention.

Your poultry is worth as much as poultry at Bedford, Ia. We are going to see that you are paid as much as we are paying at Bedford. Ask your local dealers why Bedford dealers are paying 19 cents for hens and Maryville dealers 16 cents a pound. We expect to have a poultry car in Maryville every Tuesday. Walter Evans and A. L. Bristow. 23-26

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PERFECT SCHOOL RECORD

IS HELD BY BOSTON MAN

Boston, June 24—Nicholas Thompson, a sophomore at the College of Business Administration of Boston University, has a perfect school attendance for eight years. He has never been late or absent in 2,080 days. He was given a written guarantee of his record to avoid dispute. Thompson came to this city from Greece eight years ago.

POEM BY THE REV. CHAPMAN

DEDICATED TO HIS WIFE

The following poem, dedicated to his wife, was written by the Rev. W. A. Chapman, who was killed at Rosendale Monday, on their twentieth wedding anniversary:

The calendar must be too fast,
Too swiftly time hath fled.
It tells me twenty years have passed,
Since you and I were wed.

Can this be true or do I dream,
There must be some mistake.
I'm not asleep nor doth it seem
That I can be awake.

Say, have two decades passed away
Since you became my wife?
Since on that happy April day
We were made one for life?

Yes, now I see it must be true,
A score of years have flown;
Much gratitude from us is due,
For all the joys we've known.

We've had some struggles, it is true,
For we've been always poor,
But God has aided me and you,
These struggles to endure.
We've had some sickness in our home,
But not more than our share;
And cruel death hath never come
To weigh us down with care.

Our children's minds are not deformed,
Nor yet their form or face
And best, no deeds that they've per-
formed
Have brought us to disgrace.

We have a pleasant, humble home
And all the friends we need,
And hope to have in years to come,
Till from this life we're freed.

Your health and mine is fairly good,
Yes, we are sound and strong;
These twenty years of life we've stood
They scarce have done us wrong.

No, Millie, we can scarce complain,
Of what our lot has been.
Let us from murmuring refrain,
Lest it should be a sin.

In all these years our woes have been
Outnumbered by our joys,
And in this world defiled by sin,
There are some strange alloys.

And so we've come adown the stream
Of wedded life thus far;
Of course you know 'twould scarcely
seem
That naught our joys should mar.

But then I'm sure for every tear,
We've had a dozen smiles,
And none have ever made us fear,
With all their cunning wiles.

That if we're true to God and right,
And to ourselves as well;
Our character they ne'er can blight
By what they're pleased to tell.

Then, Millie, thou'st been true to me
As ere a wife could be,
And I have always tried to be
As faithful unto thee.

And if thou thinkest in all these years
I've ever been untrue;
Forgive me if I've caused a tear
And let's begin anew.

And in the twenty years ahead
If we should live so long,
Of both of us may it be said,
"They seldom have gone wrong."

But if in death I shall lie down,
And thou sit, left alone,
Or thou should'st go to wear thy crown,
Ere twenty years have flown.

Let's try to do at least as well
As we've done in the past.
That the survivor then may tell
When death should come at last.

That over yonder on that shore,
In regions of the blest,
We'll dwell together ever more,
And ever be at rest.



Social Affairs and Clubs

Engagement Announced.

At a Pi Epsilon Pi Cozy yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bellows an announcement was made of the engagement of their daughter, Mildred Elizabeth, to William Newland Deatherage. The wedding will take place in the fall.

Swimming Party

Misses Marie Woods, Opal Thummel, Alene Carter, Hazel Frede, Mabel Geist and Alice O'Banion had a swimming party yesterday afternoon at the Gray farm.

Caldwell's Guests

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker and Miss Besse Smith of San Francisco, Calif., will spend the day, tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Caldwell of Burlington Junction.

O. E. S. Meeting.

The Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held initiation yesterday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall for one new member and refreshments were served in honor of all the new members of the year. The chapter members decided to omit the July and August meetings. The next meeting will be in September.

Birthday Picnic.

A picnic party was given at the college park, Thursday in the honor of the birthday of U. S. Wright. Lunch was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lyle and daughter, Myrtle M. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas and grandson, Robert Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. R.

Modern Sewing Room Should Be Light and Handy

Sewing rooms are included in most modern homes, where room will permit. A sewing room is better on a lower floor where it is handy but a well equipped attic is better than a makeshift lower floor. The room should have plenty of windows and light colored walls. A large closet is almost a necessity. Then there should be a large mirror. A regular dressmaker's mirror is best, but a large mirror fitted upon a door will be found serviceable.

If a room is being especially built for sewing, a built-in cabinet should be included. Barge shelves and deep drawers should be handily arranged. If the shelves are close together they will save the disarranging of many articles when searching for one thing.

A pressing board is another necessity. Often it is built into the cabinet or is hung on the wall, so that it may be swung up and automatically braced. Near the board is the electric iron.

The sewing machine should be near a window, and if possible there should be a good view. The cutting table may be like an ordinary kitchen table, but a little more height and less width is desirable. A piece of upholstering tape with spring clothes-pins will serve as holder for small bits of cloth that are being used.

E. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lucas and daughters, Alma and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Blagg and children Billy and Bettie, H. E. Wright and daughter, Lucile, Mrs. R. R. Gray, Mrs. H. F. Barkhaus of Waterloo, Iowa, Mrs. Merle Shambarger, Elizabeth and Maenara Shambarger, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wright, Simeon G. Wright and Miss Gertrude Wright.

Class Meeting.

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church met last night at the home of Mrs. Angie Briggs, 123 South Market street. The program was led by Mrs. Arthur Warner and Mrs. S. S. Murdock. Ten members and seven children were present. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Rebecca.

Baptist Women's Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the women of the First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the church to meet Mrs. J. G. Reynolds, Missouri Woman's Missionary Union Worker.

Birthday Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Eagle will entertain this evening at a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of Dr. Eagle's birthday. The dining table will be centered with garden flowers and covers will be laid for Dr. C. P. Fryer, Miss Thelma Eaton, Dr. and Mrs. Eagle and children, Thomas McCauley, Frederick and Wallace.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Mary Gallagher gave a party this afternoon at the Electron Farm in honor of the seventh birthday of her son, Robert. About twenty-five of his little friends were invited to celebrate the birthday. Out door games and swimming in the new concrete swimming pool was enjoyed. Refreshments were served on the lawn. Those who assisted Mrs. Gallagher in entertaining were Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Mrs. George Lucas, Mrs. Lora Meecham, Mrs. L. S. Yeo, Mrs. L. W. Watson, Mrs. George Ingerson, Miss Alma Lucas, and Miss Martha Holloway. The guests were Lela Maul, Evangeline Maul, Roy Watson, Kala Watson, Beatrice Ray, Jim Ray, Jack Yeo, Monty Meecham, Buster Masters, James Carmichael, Frances Cartridge, Ralph Bratcher, Virginia Lucas, Helen Ray, Junior Ray, Albert Hiatt, Gertrude Hiatt, Alfred Auer, Ruth Auer, Roland Cornell, Carl Foster Scott, Walter Mutz, Jack Hoffman, Georgia Marie Chappell, Leslie Sturm and Billie Blagg.

Lawn Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and Leland Tenney of Wilcox entertained 250 guests at the Miller home in Wilcox last night. The entertainment was on the lawn of the Miller home. The lawn was decorated with tables laden with flowers and was lighted with electric lights and Japanese lanterns. The porch of the home was decorated with potted plants, porch boxes and bouquets of cut flowers. The national colors were also in the decoration. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Donald Gifford and Alfred Chatil

lion of St. Louis, Orville Vert, Mr. and Mrs. Sims, Leon Cannon and Hal Hocker of Maryville. The program consisted of several musical numbers and an address by Dr. O. L. Curl of Maryville. The subject of the address was "The Uplifting and Betterment of the Community." The musical numbers were a musical duet by Mr. Chatillon and Miss Leah Shell, two solos by Miss Grace Tobow and three by Mrs. O. L. Curl. Little Rebecca Shell, dressed in the national colors, gave a solo and dance, and afterward presented each person on the program with a red and white carnation. In the serving Mrs. Miller was assisted by Miss Viola Sloan, Miss Lee Shackelford and Miss Leah Shell. The refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake. The party broke up at a late hour.

Slumber Party

Miss Elvira Ward will entertain tonight with a slumber party for her house guest, Miss Anna Mae Gillis of Mound City, who will be here over the week-end. The guests will be Miss Mildred Eckert, Miss Lois Hankins, Miss Lucile Brumbaugh, Miss Vutura Marie Faubion and the honor guests.

SEVERAL GAMES OF BALL TO BE PLAYED TOMORROW

Wilcox to Stanberry, Hopkins and Ravenwood in Game and Burlington Junction to Clarinda.

The Wilcox baseball team will go to Stanberry tomorrow to meet the strong Stanberry nine. This game is expected to be one of the fastest of the summer as both teams are playing fast ball and both are hitting the pill.

Hopkins will entertain Ravenwood tomorrow at Hopkins for a return game. Both teams are out to win and the rivalry between them is strong. Eugene Dixon, a State Teachers College boy, will be the Hopkins moundman and Ross will heave the pellet for Ravenwood.

Burlington Junction will take a little jaunt up to Clarinda tomorrow for a game. The Junction boys have a good team and they are after more scalp. Monk, their pitcher is good and he has been pitching stellar ball this year besides having a good deal of strong support.

meet the Wilcox Seconds. This bunch meet the Wilcox Seconds. This bunch of youngsters is coming along in fine shape. For amateurs they play good ball. More will be heard from them in the future as they have the pep and ginger that the game requires.

The local White Stars will journey to Graham tomorrow for a game. Although they are not in a winning streak they are persistent and that is half of the game.

GOLDSTEIN PEEVED OVER WOMEN VOTERS' QUESTION

Is Not Pleased With What They Want to Know During This Hot Weather

St. Louis, Mo., June 24—Candidates for places on the City Central Committees are contemplating with mingled emotions the questionnaire sent out by the League of Women Voters in an effort to "purify" municipal politics.

Circuit Court Clerk Nat Goldstein involved in the Lowden Presidential campaign "slush fund," is particularly irritated. Some of the questions, he asserts, are insulting.

With the thermometer hovering around 90 as the campaign grows warmer, many candidates have become wrathful. Here are the questions the inquisitive woman voters wanted answered:

"State your true name.
"Have you been imprisoned in the city jail, workhouse or penitentiary?
"Have you ever been arrested? If so, for what?
"Have you ever been indicted or charged with felony or other crime? If so, what?
"Are you skilled in the four fundamental rules or arithmetic?
"Are you able to read and write readily the English language?"

CHAUTAUQUA FOR GRAHAM FROM AUGUST 11-15

Some Noted Talent and Entertainers to Appear on the Program for the Year.

We are authorized to announce the dates for Graham's Chautauqua as August 11-15, inclusive.

The program for this year will be furnished by the Standard Chautauqua Co., of Lincoln, Neb., one of the best in the country, they having secured some of the best talent that will appear on chautauqua platforms this season.

On the program this year will appear such noted talent as The Knox Concert Party, Taylor's Band O'Singers, The Florence Orchestra Club, Annie Therese Davault, D. Henry B. Burns, Judge Fred G. Gale, Standard Concert Company and "Cappy Ricks."—Graham Tribune.

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NEGOTIATIONS UNDER WAY TO BRING GOLF EXPERT HERE

Is to Give Individual Lessons of an Hour Each and May Remain Here for Some Time.

The new members of the Maryville Country Club will be entitled to all of the privileges of membership as soon as they pay 50 per cent of their membership fee, or \$55, it was decided by the board of directors of the club at their meeting this morning.

Negotiations are under way now to secure a professional golf player to come to Maryville and give lessons of instruction in the game to the new members as well as the old ones who wish to improve their strokes. If the plans which are now under way are completed the professional will be here next week and will have everything ready to give the first lessons Sunday morning, July 2. Each lesson will be of an hour's length and will be paid for by the individual member. It is thought that the instructor will have enough work in Maryville to keep him here rest of this season, if he does not locate here permanently.

Because of the congested condition of the course and with the addition of the new members the board of directors thought it advisable that each member be encouraged to own his own set of golf clubs so that no two members will have to play with the same set of clubs.

TWO MORE COMMUNITIES PLAN FARM WORK

At Conception Wednesday and at Ravenwood Last Night—3 Projects at Ravenwood.

Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent has met with two more communities to plan out a community plan of work covering an extended length of time. He met with the township committee men and members of the farm bureau at Conception Wednesday night and with Ravenwood last night. A meeting will be held at the farm of W. B. Farum east of Clyde, Monday night and it is the plan now to meet at the Hugh Whiteford farm next Friday night to plan the work for community near Guilford.

Ravenwood has in its plan of work three projects; the alfalfa and the lining of the soil preparatory to the growth of this crop, dairying improvement and boys' and girls' club work.

The promotion of alfalfa and the lining of the ground for the crop has been given much attention in this part of the county and since the meeting several of the farmers have made arrangements for securing limestone for their farms.

Steps have been taken to get a dairy specialist to come to this community and advise practical means of improving the situation.

The question of the boys and girls' club work will be taken up by a committee composed of A. B. Crater and the superintendent of schools, C. T. Richards, during the date of the school fair at Ravenwood October 20-21.

The major project of the Conception community will be the application of more limestone and the growth of more alfalfa. Work will begin immediately for the arrangement of an alfalfa day program in the township to be held on Sunday afternoon July 9.

The farmers will meet at Clem Meyer's home at Old Conception at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and will visit fields where lime stone has been used and will note the results. They will possibly see the limestone spreaders and the alfalfa cultivators.

The local community will make plans for boys' and girls' club work which is suited to the community and it is quite possible that it may be arranged to have a local pig club show in connection with the corn and farm products show in the fall of 1923.

Next spring during the months of February and March orchard pruning demonstrations will be held at Clem Meyer's farm. There may be sufficient interest in orchard spraying to co-operatively purchase an orchard spraying outfit to spray the orchards of the community.

The women have applied for a Home Economics specialist to meet during August and give a demonstration of the making of dress forms, cutting patterns, garment making and sewing in general.

A. Ruggle, manager of the Conception Abbey farm, will co-operate with the department of animal husbandry of the University of Missouri in an effort to produce pork more economically. In this project the department of animal husbandry gives suggestions in the management of the herd of hogs and records are kept to determine the cost of producing pork under the methods recommended.

A marriage license was issued in Maryville today to Howard John Day, 26 years old, Akron, Colo., and Viola Opal Watkins, 20 years old, Bedford, Iowa.

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ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. C. O. Dean of Quitman left the hospital yesterday.

Miss Wilda Robinett of Bolckow left the hospital Wednesday.

Miss Frances Sheirbon of Braddyville, Iowa, left the hospital Thursday.

C. Wright of Bedford left the hospital Thursday.

Charles Huff of Bedford had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

Howard Irwin of Bedford had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

Mrs. Leslie Griffey of Parnell spent two days in the hospital this week.

Miss Laura King of Ravenwood spent Thursday in the hospital.

Carl Dorr of Bedford had his tonsils removed this morning.

Mrs. Edna Horton of Ravenwood was brought to the hospital this morning.

IRISH DISCLAIM SHOOTING OF MARSHAL WILSON

Dublin, June 24—Both the regular and irregular branches of Republican army disclaimed the connection with the assassination of Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson. The irregular branch issued this statement, "The shooting was not at the instance of the Irish Republican army. If it had been the Irish Republic army would acknowledge it."

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KINNAIRD REPORTS ALL CLUB CALVES DOING WELL

Will Probably Be Shipped Out of Here The Last Day of September—Judging October 3

Of the sixteen boys and girls in Nodaway county who have entered the baby beef club, eleven of them are growing shorthorn calves, two are raising angus calves and one is raising a cross between a shorthorn and a Hereford and two are raising Herefords. Mr. Kinnaird, who has visited all of the boys and girls during the last two days, says that all of the calves are in good condition and that some have made remarkable growth. Some calves have gained 100 pounds during a month feeding and many of them have gained as much as eighty and ninety pounds on a month's feeding.

The local showing of the calves will be during the last week in September and the district show will be in St. Joseph before the first of October. They will probably be shipped out of here the last day of September, rest in St. Joseph over Sunday and Monday and be in the barns for the judging on October 3. The auction will be held October 4.

Those who are raising shorthorn calves are: Alice and Robert Komer, Homer and Orval Davison, Max Vray, Dale and Lela Acklin, Dale Dorman,

John M. Turner, Howard and Myron Crater.

Those raising Angus calves are: Morris Berg and Laverne Butts.

Those raising Hereford calves are: Loren and Harley Garrard, Fay Woodson Null has a calf which is a cross between Hereford and shorthorn.

ARMY DIRIGIBLE A-4 SAID TO HAVE CRASHED TO GROUND

Washington, June 24—The giant army dirigible A-4 cruised over the city and landed near the army station in the East Potomac Park to pick up passengers. According to police reports she crashed to the ground. No information or report of the accident has reached the war or navy department.

WENT TO TEACHER'S HOME FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

The Young men of the the class of Mrs. Dwight Swinford of the Sunday School of the Christian Church at Arkoe went to her home recently to get her to teach them their Sunday school lesson, according to the Radio. Mrs. Swinford was unable to go to the church on account of being ill.

Cleaning UP Office.

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was busy at the court house this afternoon cleaning up his office and discarding material for which he no longer has any use. He said that he intended to make the office look like some one "lived in it."

ELECTRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT—CARL LAEMMLE Presents GLADYS WALTON, in a beautiful screen version of the famous song success—"SECOND HAND ROSE". Also two-reel Western. Two Matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

MONDAY, JUNE 26—CARMEL MYERS and WALLACE MacDONALD in "BREAKING THROUGH", also JIMMY AUDERY in a two-reel Comedy matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

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Is it any wonder that we have to tell it again and again? How could one in possession of this priceless knowledge remain silent? The very stones would cry out!

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By DR. M. E. RIEMER
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CLOSE PLACES IN ROADS

Signs say "Blow Your Horn" and to
Obey This Instruction Might
Save Lives.

There are several dangerous railroad crossings in Nodaway County. Also too many automobile drivers are too careless. Although train wrecks and accidents make good newspaper stories but it would be much better if drivers would pay more attention to the "Stop, Look and Listen" signs which are posted near all crossings.

The more dangerous crossings should be watched closely. Near Rosendale there is a bad crossing where the Rev. W. A. Chapman was killed Monday. Another exceedingly dangerous place is down at Bridge-water. Here it is probable that an automobile driver would not see a train until it is only twenty or thirty yards away.

Two miles west of Conception Junction near the Ed Allen farm there is a crossing that is also dangerous. Another place is the Wabash crossing west of town near the Murray nursery. Still another is on the farm of Mrs. C. H. Coe a mile north of the Burlington station. The Burlington crossings as you go to Lee Hill and to Gray's farm are also dangerous. On the way to the Myrtle Tree school house there is another dangerous Burlington crossing.

All of these places are perilous but all accidents could be easily averted if the driver of a motor car would stop and look and listen. There are too many drivers who have the kind of make-up that causes them to want to beat a train to the crossings and it is a driver of this type that keeps the undertakers in the business.

There are some corners and curves on roads near Maryville where cars go around so fast that if another car was coming and both were in the center of the road an accident could scarcely be avoided. On most of these corners there are signs which read, "Danger Sound Horn." Last Sunday a car was coming around the corner a few miles north of Maryville on the road to Hopkins and the driver did not sound his horn. A buggy was coming around from the side and the driver of the car was forced to run his machine into the ditch to keep out of a smash-up.

Many of the streets of Maryville have places in them that cause a car to swerve almost to the curb and if the driver does not run his car close to the side of the street he will receive a bad bump. On West Fourth street there is a bad place that could be remedied easily. Every car that comes down the street is forced to bump over this place and no matter how slow the car is moving the springs receive a bad jolt, as do the occupants of the car. The same condition is true on First and Second streets.

Possibly the worst place in town for cars is the turn on North Dunn street as cars go out to the State Teachers College. Almost every day there are numbers of "almost accidents." Cars going to the College meet those coming to town and there is the narrowest of places to pass. This situation is augmented by the fact that the crossing of the Wabash railroad at Fourth and Dunn streets is bad and cars are forced to turn an almost square corner. However, this situation will be remedied soon, according to Mayor I. P. Robinson, who says that the corner will be cut away some time this summer. When this is done instead of there being two square corners there will be a slight jog in the street.

Another bad corner is at the corner of Third and Dunn streets. It is not the corner so much as it is the bumps. It is impossible for a car to cross at the intersection of these streets without a bad jolting.

All of these places are bad and they could all be made better. If this was done it would make it much more comfortable and much safer.

Most accidents and near accidents could be easily avoided if every motorist would sound his horn and would stop, and look and listen at the railroad crossings.

Miss Gillis Here

Miss Anna Mae Gillis of Mound City a student in the State Teachers College last winter and spring, is the guest of Miss Elvira Ward.

BASKET DINNER AT BETHANY
METHODIST CHURCH TOMORROW

Fourth Quarterly Conference of the
Year to Be Held—101 Added to
Church

There will be a basket dinner Sunday July 2 at the Bethany Methodist Church, six miles east of Guilford, the occasion being the fourth quarterly conference. The members of both the Methodist churches at Bethany and at Guilford are especially urged to be present. The Rev. H. D. Thompson, D. D., Presiding Elder of the St. Joseph District will preach on Saturday evening and Sunday. This is the last conference of the second year pastorate of the Rev. V. D. Swearingen and during these two years 101 new members have been added to the churches. It is expected the entire official board will be present at these services and make a full report.

MISS ORPHA JAMES DIES
AT COLORADO SPRINGS

Had Been in Colorado for More Than
a Year—Body to Be Shipped
Back

News has been received that Miss Orpha James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. James, died at Colorado Springs, Colo., about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. James and two daughters, Verla and Orpha, closed their home in Maryville in March 1921 and have spent the time since then in Colorado because of Miss Orpha's failing health.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed but the body will be brought to the James home, 943 West Third street, and burial may be here or the body may be taken to Elmo for burial.

Miss James was twenty-six years old and is survived by her parents, and two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Meek of Elmo and Miss Verla James.

Mrs. H. W. Meek will be in Maryville today or tomorrow, making arrangements at the James home.

PIPE FROM ELKS WELL SHOWS
WHY WATER WAS CONTAMINATED

Had Become Water-Soaked and Had
and Odor—Well Has Been
Cleaned and Lined

People who wonder at the numerous things which might go to make up the contamination of water supplies of different wells in Maryville might look at the cedar pipe which was taken out of the Elks well recently. A pipe which is supposed to have been used in an old pump and which dropped in when it was discarded from active service was removed from the well. It had become water soaked and covered with mud, to say nothing of the odor which it gave off.

After the old pipe was removed, along with other filth, the well was given a good supply of unslacked lime and the pump handle has been placed on the pump again. The water is pronounced safe for human consumption by the health officers.

Samples of water from the other wells and from the city mains will be sent to the state health department as soon as containers can be secured. The state laboratories have large demands for these containers at this time of year and it is hard to get them when ever they are wanted.

TO SING AT "PASSING THRU."

Frank Roelofson and Orchestra to
Furnish Music.

Frank Roelofson will sing at the DeMolay drill patrol movie, "Passing Thru," which will be shown at the Empire Theatre Monday and Tuesday nights. The DeMolay orchestra will also play.

The members of the drill patrol are canvassing the city today selling tickets and will continue to do so Monday. The proceeds from the show will go toward paying the expenses of the drill patrol to the Missouri State DeMolay Conclave in St. Louis in August.

MR. AND MRS. J. K. SAWYERS
JR., HERE FOR THE SUMMER

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers Jr., arrived here this morning to spend the summer with Mr. Sawyers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Sr. Mr. Sawyers was coach of athletics at Farmington, W. Va., last winter, where he and Mrs. Sawyers were married the last of February. On their way west they stopped at New Concord, O., to attend the commencement exercises at Muskingum College, of which Mr. Sawyers is a graduate.

To Visit at Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Pickens and Paul Pickens will leave this afternoon for a motor trip to Excelsior Springs where they will visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Verne Pickens.

AUDIENCE PLEASED
WITH "THE RIVALS"

SEVEN HUNDRED PEOPLE SAW
THE PERFORMANCE.

GIVEN IN SEVEN SCENES

Players Appear This Afternoon, To
night and Again Monday—
Unusual Costumes.

The Coffey-Miller Players in "The Rivals," the first of the four series of plays that they are to give here, made a fine impression last night. Seven hundred people attended the performance and everyone today speaks highly of it.

The 3-act comedy was divided into seven scenes and there were no intermissions. The stage was arranged so that the changes could be made in a minute or two for each of the scenes. The three outstanding characters were Captain Jack Absolute, alias Beverly played by Jerry Stone; Mrs. Malaprop played by Martha Miller, and Bob Acres, played by Jess Coffey. Captain Absolute was in love with Lydia Langrish, played by Rose Shaw, and was posing as Beverly. His father, Sir Anthony Absolute, wanted him to marry Lydia, but the Captain did not know that the young lady of his father's choice was the one of his own choosing. Mrs. Malaprop was in favor of the same match, but she did not know that Beverly was Captain Absolute. Lydia did not know who her Beverly was either. In fact, the Captain himself seemed to be about the only person in the world who knew the identity of Beverly.

Lydia had been away to boarding school and had learned to read and to write. Sir Anthony was sure that it was wrong for girls to learn such things. He did not hesitate at all to say so. He was sure that a son who could not consent to marry the girl his father chose for him should be disowned, although he admitted that when he ran away with the Captain's mother nothing in the world could have kept him from doing so.

But there were others in love with Lydia. In fact she had enough lovers to make it a triangle with four sides. The other lovers were Bob Acres and Sir Lucius O'Trigger, an Irish baron, played by Neil Smith. Bob Acres like the rest of those concerned, did not know who Beverly was and he felt that he would invite him to a duel. He was urged into the matter by Sir Lucius. He started out brave enough but wished a thousand times that he had not considered his honor so much as to make a challenge. Sir Lucius coached him on how to fight and he was nearly scared to death. At last the antagonist came and it was none other than Bob's good friend, Captain Absolute. Bob was the most relieved man that ever existed. Of course he did not want to fight his good friend and he had a good reason for calling the duel off. At the same time Sir Lucius discovered that he had been tricked and presented the Captain with Mrs. Malaprop.

Mrs. Malaprop had a capacity for using tremendous words but she always got them in at the wrong place. Her use of words kept the audience laughing a good part of the time.

Other characters in the play were Fag, servant to Captain Absolute played by Charles Booth; Lucy, maid to Mrs. Malaprop, and David, servant to Bob Acres.

The costumes were unusual and were one of the striking and unusual things of the performance.

The players appeared again this afternoon in "The Imaginary Invalid" and this evening will give the "Taming of the Shrew." The closing number will be given Monday afternoon and will be "Guy Manning."

DE MOLAY EXCURSION TO
GO RAIN OR SHINE

The report has been circulated in Maryville today that the De Molay excursion to Omaha has been postponed. This is false. The trip will be made rain or shine according to those in charge. The special car has been ordered on the excursion train and an excursion will be held regardless of the weather.

Miss Turner in Skidmore
Miss Betty Turner was in Skidmore yesterday afternoon in the interests of the Nodaway County chapter of the American Red Cross.

Sarah Ruth Kelley

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Kelley of near Pickering, announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Ruth, June 22.

THREE BUILDINGS DESTROYED
AT ROLAND EVANS FARM

Poultry and Ford Motor Car Were
Also Lost—Origin is Unknown
—Started in Barn

Sometime after 11 o'clock last night a fire started on the Roland Evans farm south of Maryville destroyed the barn, garage and chicken house. Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Eckles are living on and running the Evans farm and about 11:30 o'clock last night Mrs. Eckles discovered the fire. It started in the barn but the origin is unknown. There was no fire near the barn and Mr. Eckles has not been troubled with tramps sleeping in the barn.

There were chickens in the chicken house and a Ford touring car in the garage. Both were destroyed.

The damage, as estimated by Mr. Evans, is around \$2,000. Insurance to the amount of \$800 was carried.

TO MOVE BARNARD
BRIDGE OVER 102

WILL BE PLACED ACROSS NEW
DITCH.

STREAM MAY WIDEN

Small New One to Span the Old Stream
at the Edge of Town—Company
to do Moving.

The new ditch for the purpose of straightening the One Hundred and Two River from Barnard to Rosendale crosses the road leading southwest from Barnard and the situation of an adequate bridge has arisen. Ordinarily a bridge with a span of about twenty feet is constructed over such ditches. In this case, however, it is thought that such a bridge will not be sufficient to fill the bill, since the caving in of the banks, due to the current, is likely to cause the stream to become much wider.

The county court has decided to have the drainage company that is doing the ditching, move the bridge that now spans the old bed of the One Hundred and Two, just at the south edge of Barnard, to the place where the ditch crosses the road, some two hundred yards farther out from town. The drainage company will also build a fill as an approach to the bridge. This work is easily done with the great power shovels of the construction company.

It is thought that the old bed of the river, which the bridge now spans, will cease to carry much water within a year or so and that only a small bridge will be required to span it. The court will have a small new bridge, with a span of perhaps twenty feet to take the place of the one that will be placed over the new ditch.

The ditch has been dug across the road and at present traffic is passing through a field to the north of the road. A block of the field will be left so that traffic can pass through it until the bridge is moved. At no time according to arrangements, the road will be closed to traffic.

MADE PICTURES AT THE
ELMER SHINABARGER FARM

Still Pictures of the Loading and
Hauling of Clover and Timothy
Made for Art Titles

George A. Pickens and Ralph Marcell drove to the Elmer Shinabarger farm, eight miles southwest of Maryville and took a picture of his field of Kanran wheat. They came back past the John Evans farm and took a picture of the cutting of the Turkey Red Wheat on that farm. The pictures here were confined chiefly to the working of the binder.

Still pictures of the loading and hauling of timothy and clover hay and scenes on Florida Creek, eleven miles west of Maryville were made for the art titles.

ANDY BARE OF BARNARD TOPS
THE ST. JOSEPH MARKET

Andy Bare of Barnard topped the St. Joseph market yesterday with forty head of 180 pound hogs of mixed breeding. He sold them at \$16.35 a hundred. They were bought by order buyers. A few strong weight butcher hogs out of his drove sold at \$19.29 a hundred.

Returned to Columbia.

Mrs. D. L. Gribble and children, Mary Margaret and Lawrence, returned this morning to their home in Columbia after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Gribble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Heifner.

IS HOTTEST JUNE
ON BRINK RECORD

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE FOR
FIRST 22 DAYS IS 79.

ONLY A LITTLE RAINFALL

So Far There Has Been But 1-10 of an
Inch—Drier than in 1911.

This month so far is the hottest and driest on the record of J. R. Brink, the weather man. The average maximum temperature for this month up to Thursday was 91 and the average minimum temperature was 66. The average temperature was 79. This is also the highest average temperature. The next highest was in 1918 when the average temperature was 75. The maximum average temperature that year was 89 and the minimum average was 69.

This has also been the driest month. There has been only 1-10 of an inch of rainfall. The closest month of June to this one was in 1911 when there was only 1.06 inches of rain. The year when the most rain fell was in 1917 when in the month of June there was 13.54 inches of rain. This was more than one-third of the average yearly rainfall for this section of the country.

Although this has been the hottest June, the temperature has not risen so high as in some former years. In 1918 there were four days in the month of June when the mercury soared to 101.

There are two reasons that this month has been the hottest June. One of them is that the temperature has stayed high for a longer period of hours during the days and the other is that the nights have been warmer than in past years.

In the past there have been some years when hot days came early in the month of June. Some of these follow:

June 3, 1901, 97 degrees; June 4, 1914, 97 degrees; June 6, 1900, 97 degrees; June 8, 1911, 100 degrees.

The hottest day so far this month was Monday, June 12, when the thermometer registered 95 degrees. However, there is no need to worry. Some time this summer it will climb up above the 100 mark.

But we need the rain. The farmers are complaining and say that the crops are beginning to be hurt. They think it would be far better they say to have about three inches of rain right now than to be able to say that there was only 1-10 of an inch of rain during the whole month.

EMPIRE THEATRE TO HAVE
RADIO RECEIVING SET

Will Pick Up Music From the Famous
Orchestra at the Newman
Theatre of Kansas City.

Paul Kuchs, assistant manager of the Empire Theatre, announced this morning that within the week the Empire would be equipped with a radio receiving set. There will also be a set installed in the Kuchs Bros. jewelry store.

Albert Kuchs has taken the local agency for the Rex Radio Company of Kansas City and has employed Gordon Roach as a salesman.

The receiving set that is to be installed at the theatre is to be installed for two reasons. The first is that it will give the moving picture goes a chance to have other things than movies and the second is that the Newman Theatre of Kansas City is installing a radio transmitting station and will send out nightly the music of the famous Newman Theatre orchestra.

Thus it is that the people of Maryville will be able to go to the Empire and hear one of the best orchestras in the country.

Mrs. R. C. Benight to Visit Here

Mrs. R. C. Benight of Denver, Colo., will arrive here Monday for a short visit at the Dr. F. M. Ryan home. Mrs. Benight formerly lived in Maryville and her daughter, Miss Cecil, was a member of the Public School faculty.

Visiting His Mother

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lahr of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mr. Lahr's mother, Mrs. Maggie Lahr. They will return home Sunday.

Visiting Prof. and Mrs. Atkinson

Clifford Sparks of Diller, Neb., and Miss Neva Carpenter of Oregon are visiting over the weekend at the home of Prof. and Mrs. E. W. Atkinson, 543 West First street.

DR. WALTER RATHENAU
ASSASSINATED AT BERLIN

Was the Chief Link of Amicable Dealings
Between Germany and the
Allies

Berlin, June 24.—Dr. Walter Rathenau, foreign secretary, was assassinated here today as he was on his way to his office. The assassins escaped in a motor car, from which they fired ten shots into Rathenau's motor car. They also threw hand grenades. Chancellor Wirth blames the reactionary propaganda and France's policy for the deed.

The death of Rathenau removes the chief link whereby amicable dealings between Germany and the allies was carried on.

Rathenau was not professional functionary but he entered politics at the urging of prominent men. He was head of the German General Electric Company. He served as minister of reconstruction before becoming foreign secretary. He strongly supported Wirth's policy of fulfillment, thereby hoping for lighter reparations of the burdens and amicable dealing with France, this cause the bitter attack.

London, June 24.—Marital law is proclaimed in Berlin, says a dispatch to the Star here. A manifesto was issued by traders unions calling on the workers to resist. There is a possibility of a Royalists uprising, said the message, adding that the police are chasing the Rathenaus assassins.

ROADS IN NODAWAY COUNTY
ARE WELL MARKED

If One Knows Where He Wants to
Go It Is Easy to Keep
on the Road.

J. C. Whitten of Blockton, Ia., who is making for the St. Joseph Automobile Club the Itasca Park highway, was in Maryville today. He is placing five markers to the mile. The marker reads I. P. H. He will also mark a highway for the club from St. Joseph to Excelsior Springs.

Few counties in the state have the roads better marked than they are in Nodaway County. Some of the best and most easily read markers are those put up by the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. The boards with their arrows and easily read names have proven a comfort to many a motorist on dark nights when his lights showed up the signs where the roads turn and assured him that he was right or told him which way to turn. If one knows where it is that he wants to go it is hard to get off the road.

HOPKINS SUNDAY SCHOOL
PASSES HONOLULU

The Sunday School of the Hopkins Christian Church is in a "Round the World Airship Contest." It has been divided into the Reds and the Blues and each side has passed Honolulu on the tour. The Blues were four hours ahead at the meeting of the class last Sunday.

WHITE CLOUD TO HAVE
SOME NEW FIXTURES

The White Chapel School, northwest of Clearmont, is to have a set of new seats for the pupils and a new desk for the teacher when school opens next fall, it was decided at a meeting of the board last night. Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was present at the meeting.

BASEBALL SCORES
By Radio Supply Co.

National League

Boston	1
Philadelphia	4
Boston	1
Philadelphia	6
Brooklyn	6
New York	5
Cincinnati	7
Pittsburg	3

Chicago

St. Louis—No score

American League

Cleveland	1
Chicago	3 end of 6th
Philadelphia	4
Washington	1 end of
St. Louis	
Detroit—No score	
New York	5
Boston	4 end of 4th

American Association

Kansas City	3
Columbus	2 end of 7th
Minneapolis	0
Indianapolis	3 end of 1st
Milwaukee	2
Toledo	1 end of 6th
St. Paul	
Louisville—No score	

HERRIN OFFICIALS
SAID TO BE COWED

OPERATORS SAY FURTHER RIOT-
ING IS IMMINENT.

DENOUNCED IN SENATE

Meyers of Montana Says Massacre Is
Worse Than Any German
Atrocity.

Chicago, June 24.—In a telegram to Governor Small from Arthur Lytton, representing the Southern Illinois Coal Company, it was declared that further rioting is imminent and that the county officials are "cowed and buffalowed." The telegram asked for troops.

Washington, June 24.—The Illinois mine strike fighting was condemned today in the senate by Meyers, Democrat. Montana as "More horrible, more shocking and more inexcusable" than any German atrocity in the World War. Meyers is an avowed foe of the organized labor and defended the operators in their action in importing miners.

Herrin, Ill., June 24.—The military commission, ordered by Governor Leu Small to investigate the Herrin massacre, arrived today. Public opinion is solidly with the miners. Hugh Willis, leader of ten thousand miners in this district, declares that the strike breakers did the first shooting and laid the blame at the door of the company. He admitted the massacre to which he was an eye witness. He cautioned the men against it.

The massacre list is now twenty-three.

Herrin, June 24.—Local authorities informed the military board of inquiry that sending troops here is unnecessary. The arrival of the commission had a marked effect in reducing the number of men idling in the streets.

St. Louis, June 24.—Declaring that the Williamson County miners will never stand a machine gun ride, President Frank Farrington of the Illinois miners blamed the Southern Illinois Coal Company for the Herrin massacre. Farrington, enroute to Herrin, declared that Lewis' letter describing the strip mine workers as common scabs did not cause trouble.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 24.—In an attempt to prevent the picketing of wagon mines the Knox County attorney for Clara Masson filed an application for an injunction in the federal court here against the United Mine Workers, naming Lewis and twenty-nine officials of the union. The petition asks that the defendant require the withdrawal of the picketing order. This is the first application in the big strike.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO
HAVE RADIO ENTERTAINMENT

To "Listen in" Monday Evening While
Assembled at the Linville
Hotel

The program committee of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce has arranged a radio concert for the weekly luncheon Monday evening. The luncheon will be served at the Linville hotel next week and the Radio Supply Company has been busy making the necessary arrangements for the diners to listen in on a concert which will come from Omaha. L. M. Eek will be chairman of the meeting next week. It is planned for the concert to last about twenty minutes.

REFUSE TO ASK U. S. TO
RECOGNIZE THE SOVIET

Cincinnati, June 24.—After a bitter fight the American Federation of Labor refused to ask the United States to recognize the Soviet Russian government and to establish trade relations.

Forecast on Tomatoes.

Washington, June 24.—Production of commercial tomatoes in Mississippi is forecast by the Department of Agriculture at 2,321 cars of 296 crates each. This is an increase of 215 cars over the production of last year.

THE WEATHER

Local thundershowers probable this afternoon or tonight, cooler to night generally fair, cooler in the east and south portions.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Lewis C. Gabbert hereby announces as a candidate for re-nomination for Congress, fourth district of Missouri, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held August 1, 1922.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Presiding Judge of the Nodaway County Court, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the Primary Election on Tuesday, August 1.

HENRY N. MOORE.

A TAX ON INTELLIGENCE?

The reduction on second class postal rates, under consideration by the administration, would be a move toward justice. The second class rates were advanced in the war from 100 per cent in the first zone to 900 per cent in the last zone. The results are almost prohibitive.

The Star, for instance, sells out of town at \$7.50 a year. But the post-office charges \$13 a year to carry the paper to a subscriber in New York City, almost double the subscription price.

The tendency of these excessive zone rates is to prevent publications from circulating at a considerable distance from home. This in turn tends to divide the country into zones of thought and interest, to increase sectional feeling.

Simply as a nationalizing proposition the nation thinks it worth while to make a low first class postage rate. The same considerations should impel a reduction in the second class rates, which, as has been said, are still on a war level.

A democracy depends on the intelligence of the people and on their common interests. An unduly high postal rate on periodicals and newspapers is a tax on intelligence which the nation cannot afford to impose.—Kansas City Star.

ABOLISHING POVERTY

A social reformer remarked the other day that he hoped to see poverty entirely removed. This was a noble and generous attitude and everybody will endorse the sentiment. He did not state how he proposed to go about it, however. To accomplish this desirable end, a good deal of a change in human nature would seem to be necessary. An equal distribution of wealth has been dreamed for many centuries.

It will not come about while a lot of people are drinking poisonous boot-leg stuff at high prices, which undermines their health and takes money from their families. A man can't expect that he can obtain and keep any job of importance, while he is enjoying this flimsy stimulation. Nor will it come about as long as men will take their wages and throw them away in gambling rooms without even a shadow of substance in return. The social reformer has got to quench his ardent thirst before he realizes his



When You Are Selecting

a monument for your dead remember it is to be a permanent testimonial of your love and esteem for them. Consider quality above price, and insist that it be of the best material procurable and embellish with a finish which is truly representative of the best in stone craftsmanship.

May We Serve You?
"We Have No Agents."

Maryville Granite Company

highly desirable ideal.

A man who has contracted disease by social vices also is not likely to be free from the curse of poverty. No business wants men who labor under that curse.

The people who do as little work as they can must also suffer the natural economic results. The man who drags along for fear that he will work himself out of a job, is going to be out of work a lot of the time. When there are many men of this type, and a lot of them have been in evidence of recent years, the high cost production makes the prices of merchandise high, so that the ordinary run of people can't buy it. Inability to buy tends to create slack work in the factories and a lot of people are poor because their wrong working habits promote unemployment.

Also there must be efficient government, so that taxes will be moderate and not impose an undue burden on industry. That means that the voters must show sense enough to put men in power who will run the government in an economical way. While the human race is eagerly desirous of seeing poverty abolished, yet changes in human nature are necessary to accomplish this end. The world should work enthusiastically toward all these reforms, but they can't be accomplished without fundamental changes nor without time.

A man with a growing family and a second hand car is up against a hard proposition.

A Boston woman has sued for \$1,000 for the loss of her husband. That looks like profiteering.

A glue seller in Kansas City got stuck. After seventy-five women customers cornered him he was taken to police court and fined.

Success consists largely in getting into the right thing at the right time and failure in getting into the wrong thing at anytime.

This summer's longest day has now passed and, if it is to continue as hot as it is, we may just as well have more of the days after sundown.

Congress now expects to pass the tariff bill about August first. That is about the time of year when the public is about all in and it is easier to put over most anything on it.

Women have reached the lower house of Congress. One, at least is now headed for the senate. When they reach the senate, then there is the white house. After that the judgment.

BRIDE STOLEN FROM WEDDING BY BROTHER

Just as the Groom was Placing the Ring on Her Finger the Brother Arrived.

Vancouver, Wash., June 24—With ring, marriage license and sweetheart Richard W. Field appeared before the Rev. A. D. Skaggs here.

When Field later left the parsonage he still had the ring and the marriage license—and a black eye—but no bride.

The groom-to-be was in the very act of placing the ring on the finger of Miss Virginia Griffin when the latter's brother rushed into the room shouting:

"This marriage shall go no further."

The brother ordered his sister's lover to "come outside". Field did so and received a wallop in the eye. Then the brother's friend appeared with an automobile, and the two men dragged the near-bride into the machine and speeded away.

Field was left standing on the porch holding a ring in one hand and a marriage license in the other, and it was only with one eye that he could follow the rapid disappearance of his sweetheart. He was unable to explain the brother's objection to the marriage, which the latter succeeded in preventing by a matter of a couple of seconds.

WILLIAM ROCKEFELLER DIES AT TERRYTOWN, N. Y.

Tarrytown, N. Y., June 24—William Rockefeller, brother of John D. Rockefeller, died here early today of pneumonia. He was in his eighty-first year. He was stricken last Sunday. The whole family was at his bedside. William had just completed a quarter of a million dollar museum at the Sleepy Hollow Seminary.

IOWA STOCK MAN LIKES

KINNAIRD'S FILING SYSTEM
E. F. Miller of the Charity Flat Stock Farm of Hazelton, Ia., is in Maryville today consulting with Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent. He said that he had seen many different filing systems for farm bulletins, but the one which Mr. Kinnaird uses is the best he had ever seen. The files are handy and economize space said Mr. Miller.

William A. Berg and Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent, are working in the country today in interest of the calf club. They are in the neighborhood of Gaynor and will visit the farms of Hubert Null, Alfred Crater and Ernest Wray.

Forumettes

The man who is not always Thinking of himself is Sure to be remembered By many others.

By this time we are waist deep in June.

We hear a lot about the open door policy. What is needed in some towns is the closed mouth policy.

The love of money may be the root of all evil but the lack of it is the cause of much grief.

The golden rule measures exactly twelve inches to the foot.

Few Maryville men are heroes to their own stenographer.

The oldest inhabitant in Maryville talks a lot but he can't make near as much noise as the tooth-cutting youngest inhabitant.

There are some men in Maryville so lazy that about the only time they get a move on themselves is when their wives tell them dinner is ready.

It isn't the man's worth but rather what he is worth that interests the average unattached Maryville girl.

The court house cynic says when some people get into the public eye they afford about as much pleasure as a cinder would in a similar position.

Uncle Abner, the town philosopher, says some people live off their wits and some off the lack of wits of others.

Your name may belong to you but other people use it more than you do.

The Maryville man who says he never makes a mistake probably does not know one when he sees it.

Louise, the stenographer, says if there were nobody in the world to tell it to, a woman would not care any more for a secret than a man does.

A Maryville bachelor observed the other day that a married man no sooner gets out of his trouble by becoming a widower than he wants to

go and do it all over again.

When you find a Maryville man too honest to steal an umbrella it is sure betting that he has his eye on something else worth much more.

Action may speak louder than words but you can't make the average Maryville woman believe it.

It is better to share our joys than our sorrows with those we love.

Vagrant Musings

A lazy man never gets ahead unless someone puts a head on him.

The average man is charitable to every other woman but his wife.

It is the man who can keep his mouth shut who can keep his brain open.

The best way to teach children to be good is to set a good example.

A lot of people get over-heated these days rushing around looking for a cool spot.

The Road to Yesterday

Who of us can't remember the day when every business man wrote his letters out in long hand and the man who had a typewriter and a stenographer was considered a bit ahead of the times? Also when it used to be considered a term of derision to refer to a young woman as a stenographer?

FRENCH CONSUL LEARNS

GREAT GAME OF POKER

Paris, June 24—American friends taught Gustave Duconse, Chancellor of the French Consulate-General at Mayence, in the occupied area, how to play poker.

Duconse taught his friends.

Yesterday he answered charges of embezzling 30,000 francs in passport charges never recorded in the books of the Government.

"Poker did it!" he told the gendarmes who arrested him.

ELEVEN AT ARKOE BABY CLINIC YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Nine babies and two school children attended the health clinic, which Dr. Claud P. Fryer, county health officer and Miss Margaret Scully and Mrs. Grace Bean, county health nurses held at Arkoe yesterday afternoon. The health officers held a clinic in the county health offices this morning.

Is Chosen Secretary.

F. C. Donnell, formerly of Maryville, has been chosen as secretary of the International Fur Exchange, which has its office in St. Louis. The International Fur Exchange has recently been reorganized.

Fifty Years Ago

(From the files of the Nodaway Democrat June 27, 1872).

We are requested to give notice that the Nodaway County Horse Thief Detective Society will hold a meeting at the Court House in Maryville on July 6, 1872. Every member of the society is expected to be present.

The St. Joseph Reflector, one of our best weekly exchanges, says: "Nodaway Democrat—This most excellent Democratic county paper comes to us in an entire new dress and greatly improved in appearance. The Democrat is one of our best exchanges—always laden with news and is ever a welcome visitor."

Our German citizens last week organized a German singing club under the name of the "Harmonia."

We call attention to the new law and real estate card of Anthony and Royal in today's paper.

Ed Moss not only knows how to keep one of the nicest and most complete ice cream parlors and confectioneries in the West but he knows that printers appreciate such things as highly as other people.

Mr. T. W. Yarnall of Pickering has made a slight change in his business and now deals in drugs, fancy groceries and notions of which he has a fine stock.

We are under obligations to Will Ashford for the finest lot of raspberries we have seen this year.

Today is the railroad election, to vote on the subscription of \$125,000 to the stock of the East and West Road.

On last Thursday evening Mr. George Worst and Miss Belle Hess were married at the residence of Samuel Townsend, Esq.

Sapp George and Co. have a large and very fine selection of clothing boots, shoes, hats etc.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee for the celebration of the anniversary of American independence held at Graham June 22, 1872—President H. C. Linville, J. M. Welch, P. M. Paschal, J. Q. Brink and Isaac Morton the following committees were appointed:

One Finance—J. Q. Brink, J. R. Bradford and Henry Forcade.

On Grounds—J. F. Brown, James McCulloch and J. Harlan.

On Water—J. Q. Brink, Thos. Kelso and Isaiah Brown.

On Reception—Dr. J. M. Brand, Wm. Holt, Esq., J. R. Bradford, R. C. Bohart Dr. J. C. Taylor and others.

On Decoration—Mrs. G. W. Hutchins.

son, Miss Sarah E. Bradford, J. W. Morgan, P. J. Barron and others.

On Table—W. Fuller, Judge W. V. Smith, John Mast, E. Waller, Mrs. C. F. Bradford, Mrs. T. L. Marlth, Miss Mattie Groves, Miss Mary Lang and others.

On printing—J. W. Morgan.

20 Years Ago

John P. Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Keller of this city won the West Point cadetship at an examination held in St. Louis Tuesday.

Judges Rogers and Whiteford held a session of county court Tuesday and Wednesday. Judge Sowers was not able to be present on account of sickness.

Our old friend, William Kraft of Quitman was over Tuesday and attended the called meeting of Owen Royal Arch Masons. He is almost 75 years of age, and has been a Chapter member since 1864.

Ray Lee is home from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Minnie Sunderland of Chicago is visiting Mrs. C. D. Leffler.

If plans, made by Elks at a meeting of the lodge Tuesday night, do not fail, Maryville will have the biggest street fair this fall ever heard of.

We are glad to note that Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones are back with us to make their home here.

Owens R. A. Chapter had a called meeting Tuesday night and conferred the degrees of Mark Master, Past Master and Most Excellent Master on four candidates, namely, C. D. Hocker, W. J. Beggs and Alex H. Wilson of Gufford and the Rev. Bagley of Maitland. A banquet was served.

Young men noted for their musical ability, have organized a brass band in this city and in a very short time our citizens will be treated to some excellent music.

Horace Jones, the big land owner and cattle and hog feeder, received

honorable mention at the Charleston Exposition for a display of fine corn.

Jacob Shamberger and wife of Hughes township have returned from a visit with relatives at Meadville, Pennsylvania.

Elder O. W. Lawrence and wife are in Des Moines this week attending the commencement exercises of Drake University.

George F. Woodworth had a letter a few days ago from Joseph Craig who is at Can Diego, California.

From Frank Hart, who was in town Saturday, we learn that the large barn of Lew Nigh, near Gaynor City, was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of June 12.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Allen and son Guy will go to Colorado about the first of July.

Richard Jones and wife have returned from Addington, Indian Territory, to Maryville, Mr. Jones having sold his claim.

Miss Mabel Owens visited a few days last week with the family of J. M. Hurst at Tarkio.

W. A. Hopper is making nice improvements on his fifteen acres north of town. W. A. is a hustler.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor, accompanied by her granddaughter, Katie Taylor left Saturday evening for Chicago to visit her son.

Mrs. M. C. Bean and little girl went to Bedford Saturday to visit for a week or so with her grandfather, Rev. Wm. Golding.

Charles Friend and wife of Ravenwood were guests Sunday of Sam Lowrey and family.

Drove to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Dan R. Baker with her guests Mrs. Charles Duff and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Blockton, Iowa, and her son, Richard motored to St. Joseph yesterday and spent the day.

James Todd is in Moberly today.

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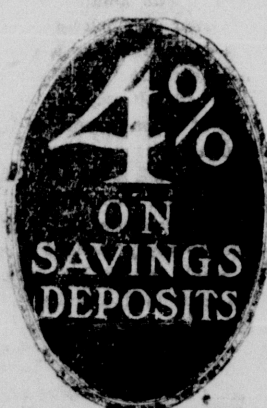
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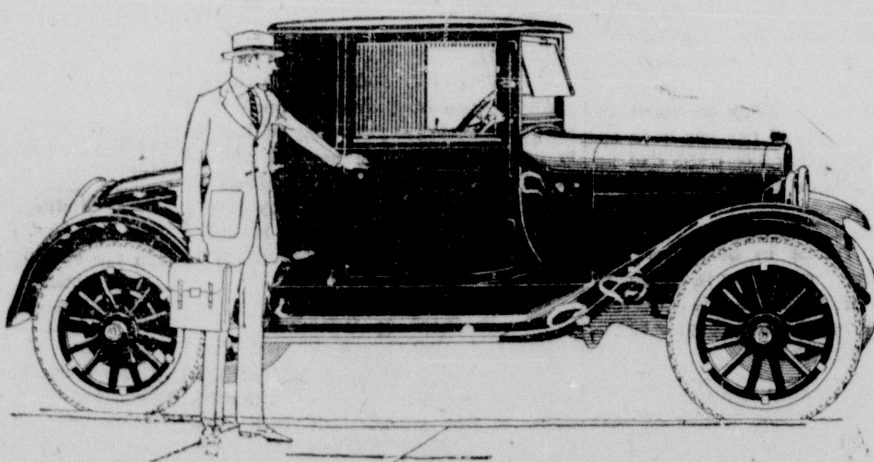
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WANTED—Dishwasher, apply at Merchants Cafe. 22-24

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WHEAT—

	high	low	close
July	1.13%	1.12%	1.13%
Sept.	1.14%	1.13%	1.14%
Dec.	1.18	1.17%	1.17% to 1.18

CORN—

	high	low	close
July	.63%	.62%	.63%
Sept.	.67	.66%	.66% to %
Dec.	.67	.65%	.66%

OATS—

	high	low	close
July	.37%	.36%	.37%
Sept.	.40%	.39%	.40% to %
Dec.	.42%	.41%	.42%

RYE—

	high	low	close
July	.88	.87%	.87%
Sept.	.87%	.87%	.87%
Dec.			.89%

Live Stock

Omaha, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,500; 5 to 10 off light weight bulk, \$9.00 to \$10.10; top \$10.20.

Chicago, June 24—HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; steady; top, \$10.80.
CATTLE—Receipts, 500.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.

St. Louis, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 300.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,500.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

Kansas City, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 500.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,200.

St. Joseph, June 24—CATTLE—Receipts, 250.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; top, \$10.40.
SHEEP—Receipts, 350.

LOCAL MARKETS

Sggs per dozen	16c
Hens, per lb.	16c
Springers per lb.	25c
Stags, per lb.	10c
Roosters per lb.	7c
Ducks, per lb.	8c
Geese, per lb.	8c
Butter fat per lb.	28c
Hides, per lb.	5c

PARNELL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Victor White and two children of Dearborn are visiting at the home of J. A. Ransom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Doling and child and Mrs. Knauss of Guthrie, Oklahoma, were visiting at the home of Mrs. Cordill. Mr. Doling is a nephew of Mrs. Cordill. They returned to Maryville, where they are visiting at the home of B. C. Hall.

Miss May Shepherd of Atton, Iowa, is visiting J. A. Ransom.

Mrs. S. A. Muse and mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson, took 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Col. Chas. Evans Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Boedeker and son, Carl, and daughter, Louise, and Clem Bremner motored to Omaha, Nebr., where they will visit relatives.

Grandpa Collins is very ill.

Miss Coler is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Birkenholz this week.

Mrs. Oscar Keeves' mother left for her home yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Berg of Ravenwood left for Indiana to attend the wedding of her sister.

Eugene Malone, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Klaas, left for his home at Minot, N. Dak. He has been attending school at Conception. This makes his second year.

Mrs. W. H. Poland is on the sick list this week.

Walter Spoonmore has just returned from Arlington, Wash., where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Klaas. He reports her much better.

E. J. Klaas and brother, Noble, motored to St. Joseph this week.

Mrs. Mary Jane Whitte west of Maryville is visiting her brother, J. W. Kennedy, and wife.

The third quarterly meeting of the Methodist church will be held at Conception Sunday.

J. N. Norris left for New York with a carload of poultry Friday.

Jesse Miller, Sr. Jesse Miller, Jr.

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News From Over The County

Barnard Bulletin

Dean Humbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Humbert, who returned a week ago from college in the east, went to Jefferson City Saturday to take the State Board Medical Examination for Missouri. Humbert is a graduate of the Missouri University has attended several medical schools in the north and east and has had considerable actual practice in his profession. He went on the Raleigh, N. C., where he will spend two months on the hospital staff of one of the principal hospitals of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Skidmore and children returned home Tuesday evening, having come earlier than they originally planned in response to a telegram, advising them of Mrs. Skidmore's father's condition. Mr. Douglass is seriously ill at his home and except for Sunday, has known no one for several days.

R. E. Cook believes he is a lucky man. On Monday he started cutting down fifteen acres of fine clover hay and thinks he will be able to get it all in his big barn without a rain. He is hauling it from the windrow with a bull-rake and pulling it into the barn with a grapple hook hayfork. He says the yield will be good.

Ova Goff and family returned from St. Joseph last week and moved into the Andy Sell property. Mr. Goff has taken work with the McCleave Motor Co. He was in cabinet work while in St. Joseph, but there is no place like home for former Barnard boys.

The touring car driven by Mrs. Will Conlin and the truck driven by W. R. Hukill ran together Sunday and the Conlin car was badly damaged. The cars were approaching a corner at right angles when the truck struck the side of the car bending the fenders against the side of the car and doing other damage. Neither driver was hurt.

The Hopkins Journal

An auto crash in which two Hopkins young men participated happened last Friday evening in the north-east part of Maryville when in some manner the Dodge car driven by Earl Miller and the Ford driven by a son of Will Morehouse came together head on while turning a corner. While the Ford escaped with less injury, the Dodge was badly damaged, the frame being bent and the body damaged beyond repair. It is now in a garage at Maryville. Dr. Miller having about decided to dispose of it and buy a new car.

William T. Fine owned a fine Jersey cow and Grover Thompson a Buick car—until last Saturday, when the car became the property of the former and the cow the property of the latter. Grover decided he would rather have good milk, cream and butter than a car. Mr. Fine operates a saw mill north of town and will use the car in going to and from his work.

Jason W. Osborn of Basin, Wyo., and Miss Ethel Pickering of Wibaux, Mont., were married last week at Billings, Mont. The ceremony taking place at the parsonage of the Episcopal church. Dean Mathews officiating. The bride is an accomplished young lady and the groom will be remembered by most Hopkins people, being a son of the late Jason Osborn and his mother and a brother and sister still reside on the home farm north of Hopkins. J. W. is a contractor and builder of Basin and the newlyweds will make that city their home.

Charley Wood, Jr., who plowed corn last week for Cal Lee, east of Bedford reports hog cholera in that vicinity. The disease broke out in the Lee herd while he was there and Cal lost thirteen head before he could have the hogs vaccinated.

Tine Miller and wife and Emmett Miller and wife left last week in Emmett's new Studebaker car for a tour of the west, taking a tent and will camp out nights and do their own cooking. They will visit Idaho and other western states, returning by way of Yellowstone Park, expecting to be away the balance of the summer. Joe Smith and wife occupy the Miller home and Joe will look after the feeding and the crops until Tine returns.

Burlington Junction Post

Berry Hann and S. P. Daugherty spent Tuesday and Tuesday night on the Missouri river south of Hamburg, Iowa where they succeeded in landing a pretty good catch of fish. They returned home yesterday morning, and spent the remainder of the day in cleaning fish, which varied in length from eighteen inches to three feet—more or less.

Ralph Boyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyer of east of Burlington Junction, who graduated from the Hardesty school this year, has been awarded a scholarship in the Burlington Junction high school for making the highest grades in the township in the county examinations last spring. The student making the second highest grades in the township will be given a scholarship in either the Clearmont or Elmo high schools. Miss Froelove Comb was teacher last year at Hardesty and has been re-elected for the coming year.

C. B. Zarn left Monday for his home at Hollywood, California, after a visit of three weeks here with old friends.

A. Booher, Senior, and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Carter of southeast of town were Burlington Junction visitors Saturday. Mr. Booher, who is well above the allotted time of three score years and ten, is in pretty good health and except for failing eyesight retains his faculties to a remarkable degree.

Elmo Register.

W. B. Ammons is finishing this week moving to College Springs, where he has opened a restaurant. He was in business here several months and is a good restaurant man. The family will be missed here.

John Tudder's little boy, who was run over by their car about two weeks ago, had an X-ray picture taken Tuesday. They found one bone broken in one hip and two in the other. He was put in a plaster paris cast.

Ed Horn's left this Tuesday morning for Akron, Colo., to make it their home. The Register follows to keep them in touch with the old home, where they were born and raised.

Skidmore News.

Last Thursday morning, Mrs. G. H. Patterson purchased the Commercial Hotel from Mrs. R. P. Johnson. Patterson was given Thursday afternoon, and Mrs. Patterson has been pretty busy since, getting ready for business. The place is getting a thorough cleaning and the paperhanger will be there to morrow to paper the parlor and some of the rooms upstairs.

Miss Letha Strickler left last week for Boulder, Colo., where she will attend a six weeks' term at the State University, after which she will visit at the home of her uncle, Walter Strickler at Loveland, Colo. She will return home by way of Kansas, where she

will visit her cousin, Mrs. Ross De Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks of Pasadena, Calif., arrived last week for an extended visit with Mrs. Sparks' sister, Mrs. J. R. Hodgins, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks made the trip in a Studebaker, covered 2,272 miles consumed 159 gallons of gasoline and had one puncture. They came by the way of Grand Canyon and the petrified forests and followed the Santa Fe Trail the major portion of the way. They report the roads in a good structural condition, but bumpy. The worst and only dangerous roads were found between Atchison, Kansas, and St. Joseph, Mo., where they were forced to leave the pavement because of some repairing and made a detour over some extremely bad roads.

Word has been received of the death of Eben Small, who stayed with Ambrose Collins on Sand Creek for so many years, and later went to Oklahoma with the Collins family.

The Graham Tribune.

Perry Roach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roach, living south of town while operating a blue grass stripper Monday, got his foot tangled up in the wheels of the machine, with the result that the knee and ankle were badly sprained.

Charence McGinnis had the misfortune to break his arm while cranking a truck last week.

Mrs. Ed Geyer was in St. Joseph last Saturday, and called to see Dr. Rhoades, who has been in the hospital there since the 3rd of June, and he reports that he is very much improved and hopes to get home soon.

While working with a blue grass stripper on the Robert Gex place last Thursday, Ernest Hale got one of his fingers tangled up with the cogwheels on the machine, bruising it up quite severely.

Ray James, who at one time was employed at Nick's barber shop here, recently purchased a shop at Fillmore and will conduct the same at that place. His many friends here will be glad to learn of his progress.

The Conception Courier.

Wm. Corcoran had the misfortune to sever a small artery in the back of his right hand, while moving the lawn at his home here, Wednesday. We are glad to report that the injured member while causing him considerable pain is getting along nicely.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Willard Foster, who recently underwent an operation at Noyes Hospital in St. Joseph, still continues to improve nicely. The many friends of Andrew Davis who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Noyes Hospital in St. Joseph, will be pleased to learn that he is getting along nicely now.

The Guilford Times.

Whiteford McLean, who has been attending school in St. Marys, Kans., returned home last Wednesday.

Dr. J. W. Hannah, who has been with his son, Jay, in Oklahoma, came to Guilford Saturday, accompanied by his son to be here a few days on business. The Dr. will likely resume his practice here.

Ray Lemaster has recently lost five of his lambs by wolves. He shut them in the barn Friday night and the wolves came again and showed their displeasure at being deprived of their feast by a serenade of howls. Cleve Nelson also lost one lamb the same way.

C. D. Farnan, wife and daughter, Marie, are in from their home near Yuma, Colo., having driven through in their car. Marie may stay with her

ant, Miss Louisa Ballard, while her parents will return to Colorado. Key has out about 800 acres of wheat, 200 acres of barley, and 100 acres of corn. The Farnans expect to be in their old home here at Guilford by Sept. 1. Their many friends will rejoice to welcome them back.

Some person or persons without fear of God, the law or justice, and with all the instincts of being lower than a vul, slipped into A. G. Robinson's chicken roost Friday night, while Mr. Robinson and son, Irvin were away at work and stole about fifty or sixty hens. Such devilry will sooner or later meet the business end of a shot gun and people may then be permitted to enjoy the fruits of their labor in peace.

The Clearmont News.

The large barn on John Baker's farm three and one-half miles southwest of Burlington Junction, was burned to the ground Sunday night between 10 and 11 o'clock, with most of its contents. The tenant, J. F. Brown, lost all of his hay and grain, all of his harness, two sows and several shoats. Mr. Baker also lost some alfalfa hay that was in the mow. The fire is supposed to have been caused by lightning, and when discovered the entire roof was in flames and just ready to fall in. Mr. Brown was fortunate in one way, as he had turned his horses out in pasture. His loss comes pretty hard on him, as all his feed for his horses for the summer was consumed. Mr. Baker had \$1,000 insurance on the barn, about half what it was worth.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory received word Sunday that her stepmother, Mrs. Lori, died that morning at Mt. Airy, N. C. Her daughters, Mrs. Glenn and Mrs. Humphrey, went there that evening and Tuesday Mrs. Gregory and her sons Milton and Oliver and their families went up to attend the funeral which took place Wednesday.

A good many have commenced harvesting their wheat and by the last of the week the harvest will be in full blast.

The Ravenwood Gazette.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sims left Wednesday morning for Camden Point, where they will stay over night at the home of Miss Allen Willis, and from there will go to Kansas City to attend a convention of the International Sunday Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Banion went to Omaha, Nebr., Monday morning to consult a physician in regard to Mrs. O'Banion's health.

Obed Oglesby received Monday morning \$395 from the South Dakota state bonus; Ezra McMullin \$200 and Lewis Comer \$135, recently from the Missouri state bonus.

Mr. and Mrs. Obed Oglesby announce the birth of a son to them, on Tuesday June 20, 1922, to which they have given the name of Obed Byron.

Mrs. Hattie Bentley and niece, Leola Ross, who have been visiting Mrs. Bentley's mother, Mrs. Francis Ross, and other relatives here for the past month, left Tuesday morning for their home at Sterling, Colo. Upon reaching Sterling they will join Mr. Bentley and proceed to California, where they will stay indefinitely.

Will Tag Pedestrians

Paris, June 24—Use of identity tags like those hung from soldiers' necks during the war, has been proposed for the Paris pedestrians. These would preclude the necessity of taking him to the morgue when he finally falls victim to reckless driving. Establishment of evacuation hospitals at busy corners is also suggested.

Farmers Attention.

Your poultry is worth as much as poultry at Bedford, Ia. We are going to see that you are paid as much as we are paying at Bedford. Ask your local dealers why Bedford dealers are paying 19 cents for hens and Maryville dealers 16 cents a pound. We expect to have a poultry car in Maryville every Tuesday. Walter Evans and A. L. Bristow. 23-26

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PERFECT SCHOOL RECORD IS HELD BY BOSTON MAN

Boston, June 24—Nicholas Thompson, a sophomore at the College of Business Administration of Boston University, has a perfect school attendance for eight years. He has never been late or absent in 2,080 days. He was given a written guarantee of his record to avoid dispute. Thompson came to this city from Greece eight years ago.

POEM BY THE REV. CHAPMAN DEDICATED TO HIS WIFE

The following poem, dedicated to his wife, was written by the Rev. W. A. Chapman, who was killed at Rosendale Monday, on their twentieth wedding anniversary:

The calendar must be too fast,
Too swiftly time hath fled,
It tells me twenty years have passed,
Since you and I were wed.

Can this be true or do I dream,
There must be some mistake,
I'm not asleep nor doth it seem
That I can be awake.

Say, have two decades passed away
Since you became my wife?
Since on that happy April day
We were made one for life?

Yes, now I see it must be true,
A score of years have flown;
Much gratitude from us is due,
For all the joys we've known.

We've had some struggles, it is true,
For we've been always poor,
But God has aided me and you,
These struggles to endure.

We've had some sickness in our home,
But not more than our share;
And cruel death hath never come
To weigh us down with care.

Our children's minds are not deformed,
Nor yet their form or face
And best, no deeds that they've performed
Have brought us to disgrace.

We have a pleasant, humble home
And all the friends we need,
And hope to have in years to come,
Till from this life we're freed.

Your health and mine is fairly good,
Yes, we are sound and strong;
These twenty years of life we've stood
They scarce have done us wrong.

No, Millie, we can scarce complain,
Of what our lot has been,
Let us from murmuring refrain,
Lest it should be a sin.

In all these years our woes have been
Outnumbered by our joys,
And in this world defiled by sin,
There are some strange alloys.

And so we've come adown the stream
Of wedded life thus far;
Of course you know 'twould scarcely
seem
That naught our joys should mar.

But then I'm sure for every tear,
We've had a dozen smiles,
And none have ever waded us fear,
With all their cunning wiles.

That if we're true to God and right,
And to ourselves as well;
Our character they ne'er can blight
By what they're pleased to tell.

Then, Millie, thou'st been true to me
As ere a wife could be,
And I have always tried to be
As faithful unto thee.

And if thou thinkest in all these years
I've ever been untrue;
Forgive me if I've caused a tear



Social Affairs and Clubs

Engagement Announced.

At a Pi Epsilon Pi Cossy yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bellows an announcement was made of the engagement of their daughter, Mildred Elizabeth, to William Newland Deatherage. The wedding will take place in the fall.

Swimming Party

Misses Marie Woods, Opal Thum, Alene Carter, Hazel Frede, Mabel Geist and Alice O'Banion had a swimming party yesterday afternoon at the Gray farm.

Caldwell's Guests

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker and Miss Besse Smith of San Francisco, Calif., will spend the day, tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Caldwell of Burlington Junction.

O. E. S. Meeting.

The Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held initiation yesterday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall for one new member and refreshments were served in honor of all the new members of the year. The chapter members decided to omit the July and August meetings. The next meeting will be in September.

Birthday Picnic.

A picnic party was given at the college park, Thursday in the honor of the birthday of U. S. Wright. Lunch was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lyle and daughter, Myrtle M., and Mrs. R. E. Thomas and grandson, Robert Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. R.

Modern Sewing Room Should Be Light and Handy

Sewing rooms are included in most modern homes, where room will permit. A sewing room is better on a lower floor where it is handy but a well equipped attic is better than a makeshift lower floor. The room should have plenty of windows and light colored walls. A large closet is almost a necessity. Then there should be a large mirror. A regular dressmaker's mirror is best, but a large mirror fitted upon a door will be found serviceable.

If a room is being especially built for sewing, a built-in cabinet should be included. Large shelves and deep drawers should be handily arranged. If the shelves are close together they will save the disarranging of many articles when searching for one thing. A pressing board is another necessity. Often it is built into the cabinet or is hung on the wall, so that it may be swung up and automatically braced. Near the board is the electric iron. The sewing machine should be near a window, and if possible there should be a good view. The cutting table may be like an ordinary kitchen table, but a little more height and less width is desirable. A piece of upholstering tape with spring clothespins will serve as holder for small bits of cloth that are being used.

E. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lucas and daughters, Alma and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Blagg and children Billy and Bettie, H. E. Wright and daughter, Lucile, Mrs. R. R. Gray, Mrs. H. F. Barkhaus of Waterloo, Iowa, Mrs. Merle Shambarger, Elizabeth and Maenara Shambarger, and Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Simeon G. Wright and Miss Gertrude Wright.

Class Meeting.

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church met last night at the home of Mrs. Angie Briggs, 123 South Market street. The program was led by Mrs. Arthur Warner and Mrs. S. S. Murdock. Ten members and seven children were present. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Rebecca.

Baptist Women's Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the women of the First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the church to meet Mrs. J. G. Reynolds, Missouri Woman's Missionary Union Worker.

Birthday Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Eagle will entertain this evening at a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of Dr. Eagles birthday. The dining table will be centered with garden flowers and covers will be laid for Dr. C. P. Fryer, Miss Thelma Eaton, Dr. and Mrs. Eagle and children, Thomas McCauley, Frederick and Wallace.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Mary Gallagher gave a party this afternoon at the Electron Farm in honor of the seventh birthday of her son, Robert. About twenty-five of his little friends were invited to celebrate the birthday. Out door games and swimming in the new concrete swimming pool was enjoyed. Refreshments were served on the lawn. Those who assisted Mrs. Gallagher in entertaining were Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Mrs. George Lucas, Mrs. Lora Meecham, Mrs. L. S. Yeo, Mrs. L. W. Watson, Mrs. George Ingerson, Miss Alma Lucas, and Miss Martha Holloway. The guests were Lela Maul, Evangeline Maul, Roy Watson, Kala Watson, Beatrice Ray, Jim Ray, Jack Yeo, Monty Meecham, Buster Masters, James Carmichael, Frances Cartridge, Ralph Bratcher, Virginia Lucas, Helen Ray, Junior Ray, Albert Hiatt, Gertrude Hiatt, Alfred Auer, Ruth Auer, Roland Cornell, Carl Foster Scott, Walter Mutz, Jack Hoff man, Georgia Marie Clappell, Leslie Sturm and Billie Blagg.

Lawn Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and Leland Tenney of Wilcox entertained 250 guests at the Miller home in Wilcox last night. The entertainment was on the lawn of the Miller home. The lawn was decorated with tables laden with flowers and was lighted with electric lights and Japanese lanterns. The porch of the home was decorated with potted plants, porch boxes and bouquets of cut flowers. The national colors were also in the decoration. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Donald Gifford and Alfred Chail

lion of St. Louis, Orville Vert, Mr. and Mrs. Sims, Leon Cannon and Hal Hoek er of Maryville. The program consisted of several musical numbers and an address by Dr. O. L. Curl of Maryville. The subject of the address was "The Uplifting and Betterment of the Community." The musical numbers were a musical duet by Mr. Chatillon and Miss Leah Shell, two solos by Miss Grace Tobow and three by Mrs. O. L. Curl. Little Rebecca Shell, dressed in the national colors, gave a solo and dance, and afterward presented each person on the program with a red and white carnation. In the serving Mrs. Miller was assisted by Miss Viola Sloan, Miss Lee Shackelford and Miss Leah Shell. The refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake. The party broke up at a late hour.

Slumber Party

Miss Elvira Ward will entertain tonight with a slumber party for her house guest, Miss Anna Mae Gillis of Mound City, who will be here over the week-end. The guests will be Miss Mildred Eckert, Miss Lois Hankins, Miss Lucile Brumbaugh, Miss Veturia Marie Faubion and the honor guests.

SEVERAL GAMES OF BALL TO BE PLAYED TOMORROW

Wilcox to Stanberry, Hopkins and Ravenwood in Game and Burlington Junction to Clarinda.

The Wilcox baseball team will go to Stanberry tomorrow to meet the strong Stanberry nine. This game is expected to be one of the fastest of the summer as both teams are playing fast ball and both are hitting the ball.

Hopkins will entertain Ravenwood tomorrow at Hopkins for a return game. Both teams are out to win and the rivalry between them is strong. Eugene Dixon, a State Teachers College boy, will be the Hopkins moundman and Ross will heave the pellet for Ravenwood.

Burlington Junction will take a little jaunt up to Clarinda tomorrow for a game. The Junction boys have a good team and they are after more scalps. Monk, their pitcher is good and he has been pitching stellar ball this year besides having a good deal of strong support.

meet the Wilcox Seconds. This bunch of youngsters is coming along in fine shape. For amateurs they play good ball. More will be heard from them in the future as they have the pep and ginger that the game requires.

The local White Stars will journey to Graham tomorrow for a game. Although they are not in a winning streak they are persistent and that is half of the game.

GOLDSTEIN PEEVED OVER WOMEN VOTERS' QUESTION

Is Not Pleased With What They Want to Know During This Hot Weather

St. Louis, Mo., June 24—Candidates for places on the City Central Committees are contemplating with mingled emotions the questionnaire sent out by the League of Women Voters in an effort to "purify" municipal politics.

Circuit Court Clerk Nat Goldstein involved in the Lowden Presidential campaign "slush fund," is particularly irritated. Some of the questions, he asserts, are insulting.

With the thermometer hovering around 90 as the campaign grows warmer, many candidates have become wrathful. Here are the questions the inquisitive woman voters wanted answered:

"State your true name.
"Have you been imprisoned in the city jail, workhouse or penitentiary?
"Have you ever been arrested? If so, for what?
"Have you ever been indicted or charged with felony or other crime? If so, what?
"Are you skilled in the four fundamental rules or arithmetic?
"Are you able to read and write readily the English language?"

CHAUTAUQUA FOR GRAHAM FROM AUGUST 11-15

Some Noted Talent and Entertainers to Appear on the Program for the Year.

We are authorized to announce the dates for Graham's Chautauqua as August 11-15, inclusive.

The program for this year will be furnished by the Standard Chautauqua Co., of Lincoln, Neb., one of the best in the country, they having secured some of the best talent that will appear on chautauqua platforms this season.

On the program this year will appear such noted talent as The Knox Concert Party, Taylor's Band O'Singers, The Florence Orchestra Club, Annie Therese Davault, D. Henry B. Burns, Judge Fred G. Gale, Standard Concert Company and "Cappy Ricks."—Graham Tribune.

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NEGOTIATIONS UNDER WAY TO BRING GOLF EXPERT HERE

Is to Give Individual Lessons of an Hour Each and May Remain Here for Some Time.

The new members of the Maryville Country Club will be entitled to all of the privileges of membership as soon as they pay 50 per cent of their membership fee, or \$55, it was decided by the board of directors of the club at their meeting this morning.

Negotiations are under way now to secure a professional golf player to come to Maryville and give lessons of instruction in the game to the new members as well as the old ones who wish to improve their strokes. If the plans which are now under way are completed the professional will be here next week and will have everything ready to give the first lessons Sunday morning, July 2. Each lesson will be of an hour's length and will be paid for by the individual member. It is thought that the instructor will have enough work in Maryville to keep him here rest of this season, if he does not locate here permanently.

Because of the congested condition of the course and with the addition of the new members the board of directors thought it advisable that each member be encouraged to own his own set of golf clubs so that no two members will have to play with the same set of clubs.

TWO MORE COMMUNITIES PLAN FARM WORK

At Conception Wednesday and at Ravenwood Last Night—3 Projects at Ravenwood.

Roy A. Kinnaird, county farm agent has met with two more communities to plan out a community plan of work covering an extended length of time. He met with the township committee men and members of the farm bureau at Conception Wednesday night and with Ravenwood last night. A meeting will be held at the farm of W. B. Farnum east of Clyde, Monday night and it is the plan now to meet at the Hugh Whiteford farm next Friday night to plan the work for community near Guilford.

Ravenwood has in its plan of work three projects; the alfalfa and the liming of the soil preparatory to the growth of this crop, dairying improvement and boys' and girls' club work.

The promotion of alfalfa and the liming of the ground for the crop has been given much attention in this part of the county and since the meeting several of the farmers have made arrangements for securing limestone for their farms.

Steps have been taken to get a dairy specialist to come to this community and advise practical means of improving the situation.

The question of the boys' and girls' club work will be taken up by a committee composed of A. B. Crater and the superintendent of schools, C. T. Richards, during the date of the school fair at Ravenwood October 20-21.

The major project of the Conception community will be the application of more limestone and the growth of more alfalfa. Work will begin immediately for the arrangement of an alfalfa day program in the township to be held on Sunday afternoon July 9.

The farmers will meet at Clem Meyer's home at Old Conception at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and will visit fields where lime stone has been used and will note the results. They will possibly see the limestone spreaders and the alfalfa cultivators.

The local community will make plans for boys' and girls' club work which is suited to the community and it is quite possible that it may be arranged to have a local pig club show in connection with the corn and farm products show in the fall of 1923.

Next spring during the months of February and March orchard pruning demonstrations will be held at Clem Meyer's farm. There may be sufficient interest in orchard spraying to co-operatively purchase an orchard spraying outfit to spray the orchards of the community.

The women have applied for a Home Economics specialist to meet during August and give a demonstration of the making of dress forms, cutting patterns, garment making and sewing in general.

A Ruggle, manager of the Conception Abbey farm, will co-operate with the department of animal husbandry of the University of Missouri in an effort to produce pork more economically. In this project the department of animal husbandry gives suggestions in the management of the herd of hogs and records are kept to determine the cost of producing pork under the methods recommended.

A marriage license was issued in Maryville today to Howard John Day, 26 years old, Akron, Colo., and Viola Opal Watkins, 20 years old, Bedford, Iowa.

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ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. C. O. Dean of Quitman left the hospital yesterday.

Miss Wilda Robinson of Bolckow left the hospital Wednesday.

Miss Frances Sheirbon of Braddyville, Iowa, left the hospital Thursday.

C. Wright of Bedford left the hospital Thursday.

Charles Huff of Bedford had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

Howard Irwin of Bedford had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

Mrs. Leslie Griffey of Parnell spent two days in the hospital this week.

Miss Laura King of Ravenwood spent Thursday in the hospital.

Carl Dorr of Bedford had his tonsils removed this morning.

Mrs. Edna Horton of Ravenwood was brought to the hospital this morning.

IRISH DISCLAIM SHOOTING OF MARSHAL WILSON

Dublin, June 24—Both the regular and irregular branches of Republican army disclaimed the connection with the assassination of Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson. The irregular branch issued this statement, "The shooting was not at the instance of the Irish Republican army. If it had been the Irish Republic army would acknowledge it."

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KINNAIRD REPORTS ALL CLUB CALVES DOING WELL

Will Probably Be Shipped Out of Here The Last Day of September—Judging October 3

Of the sixteen boys and girls in Nodaway county who have entered the baby beef club, eleven of them are growing shorthorn calves, two are raising angus calves and one is raising a cross between a shorthorn and a Hereford and two are raising Herefords. Mr. Kinnaird, who has visited all of the boys and girls during the last two days, says that all of the calves are in good condition and that some have made remarkable growth. Some calves have gained 100 pounds during a month feeding and many of them have gained as much as eighty and ninety pounds on a months feeding.

The local showing of the calves will be during the last week in September and the district show will be in St. Joseph before the first of October. They will probably be shipped out of here the last day of September, rest in St. Joseph over Sunday and Monday and be in the barns for the judging on October 3. The auction will be held October 4.

Those who are raising shorthorn calves are: Alice and Robert Komer, Homer and Orval Davison, Max Vray, Dale and Lola Acklin, Dale Dorman,

John M. Turner, Howard and Myron Crater.

Those raising Angus calves are: Morris Berg and Laverne Butts.

Those raising Hereford calves are: Loren and Harley Garrard, Fay Woodson Null has a calf which is a cross between Hereford and shorthorn.

ARMY DIROGIBLE A-4 SAID TO HAVE CRASHED TO GROUND

Washington, June 24—The giant army dirigible A-4 cruised over the city and landed near the army station in the East Potomac Park to pick up passengers. According to police reports she crashed to the ground. No information or report of the accident has reached the war or navy department.

WENT TO TEACHER'S HOME FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

The young men of the class of Mrs. Dwight Swinford of the Sunday School of the Christian Church at Arkoe went to her home recently to get her to teach them their Sunday school lesson, according to the Radio. Mrs. Swinford was unable to go to the church on account of being ill.

Cleaning UP Office.

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was busy at the court house this afternoon cleaning up his office and discarding material for which he no longer has any use. He said that he intended to make the office look like some one "lived in it."

ELECTRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT—CARL LAEMMLE Presents GLADYS WALTON, in a beautiful screen version of the famous song success—"SECOND HAND ROSE". Also two-reel Western. Two Matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

MONDAY, JUNE 26—CARMEL MYERS and WALLACE MacDonald in "BREAKING THROUGH", also JIMMY AUDERY in a two-reel Comedy matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

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